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#### Political Notes-

## New Pasadena Area 'RFK Club

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By DIRK WERKMAN

with the AFL-CIO and the Unit-at 793-7054. ed Farm Workers Organizing Committee."

She said club members are also seeking canned food and clothing for farm workers in the Coachella Valley. Miss Servano said persons interested in helping in the drive can call her at

791-3166 or Trudi Philips at 793-

7054. Ray Dangher, another club The newly formed Bark Ray Danaher, another club members and fund raiser president, has announced that it will distribute "Don't Buy Calley View Ave. Pasadena Performa Grapes" leaflets in support of the strike against the Delano grape growers.

Sandra Serfano, a spokesman of the pub, said "the fresh grapes growers are hiring scab sought and said persons interstal abor from Mexico. I while ested in the event can contact him at 355-1867 or Miss Phillips with the AFL CIO and the Unit at 793-7054.

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Attached for the information of Sacramento, is one Xerox copy of FD-350 containing newspaper article from "Pasadena Star News", which is self-explanatory.

ramed whose name is mentioned in the article, is the same individual who claimed to have seen a girl in a polka dot dress and another male individual with her shortly after the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KEHNEDY in Los Angeles. \_\_\_\_\_ subsequently admitted that she lied about having seen the girl in the polka dot dress.

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UNITED FARM WORKERS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE AFL - CIO DELAMO, CALIFORNIA

Copies of this memorandum are being distributed to the Army, Havy, Air Force, United States Secret Service, and United States Attorney.

On August 16, 1968, Chief of Police James Aisles, Delano, California, Police Department, advised as follows:

From about 5 p.m., to 9 p.m., on August 15, 1968, up to 200 United Farm Workers Organizing Committee (UFNOC) pickets gathered in the vicinity of the Delano Police Department protesting what they claimed is a lack of police protection. Included in the UFNOC picket line on that date were approximately 12 individuals, names unknown, claiming to be "brown berets" from Los Angeles, California. He has heard that Mr. Cesar Chavez, Director, UFNOC, has invited any of the militant groups to participate in this protest. During the morning of August 16, 1968, there were about 50 UFNOC protesters in front of the Delano Police Department.

Chief Aisles stated he intends to send a telegram to Attorney General Ramsey Clark on August 16, 1968, inviting the United States Justice Department to thoroughly investigate any complaints that Mr. Chavez has filed concerning his department or any other law enforcement agencies in the area, stating his department has absolutely nothing to hide.

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UNITED FARM WORKERS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE AFL - CIO DELANO, CALIFORNIA

He is sending this telegram because he has heard Mr. Chavez has made numerous recent complaints to the Attorney General regarding police agencies in the Delano, California, area.

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Celebrities to Attend

Sunday Strike Rally
Hollywood stars and labor leader Cesar Chavez will take part in a rally Sunday at University. High School auditorium in upport of a boycott against California table. grapes.

Participants will include Péter Lawford, Robert Culp, France Nuyen, Mar-

tin Landau, Barbaya Bain, Maria Cole, June Foray, Leslie Parrish and Rosie

Grier./ The rally is sponsored by the Interfaith/Coalition for the Grape Boycott. Admittion is \$1.

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### GRAPE BOYCOTT BACKER TO TALK TO UNITARIANS

CANCGA PARK — Rabbi Albert Lewis of Temple Isaiah, Los Angeles, cochairman of the Intermediate Coalition for the Grape Boxcott, will speak on the moral and religious aspects of the boycott Sunday at 10:30 a.m. at Emerson Unitarian Church, 7121 Owens

mouth Ave
Rabbi Lews is past president of the Southern California Board of Rabbis and a member of the board of directors of the Jewish Federation Council, both of which endorsed the boycott last month.

The sermon will be followed by a period of questions and answers. A representative of the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO, will take part.

The service is one of many arranged in churches throughout the Los Angeles area through the efforts of the Inter-Faith Coalition for the Grape Boycott.

The Rev. James Jones, president of the Los Angeles City Board of Education, is chairman of the Coalition, and Rabbi Lewis and Sister Wary Corita of Immaculate Heart College are co-chairmen.

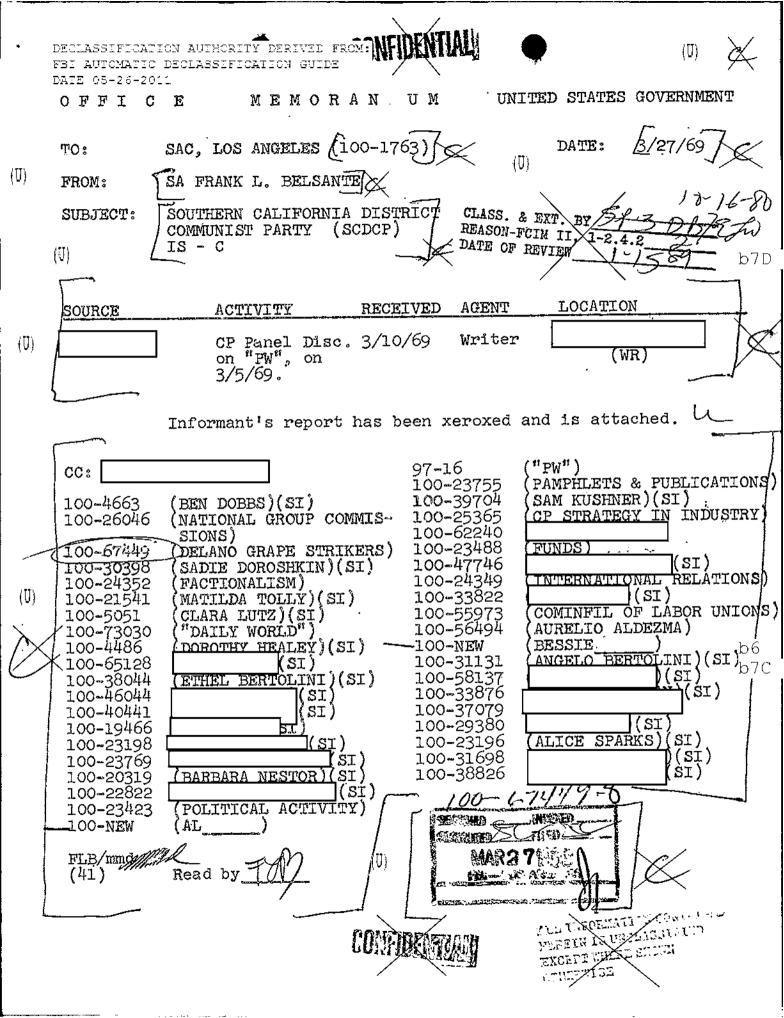
Emerson Church adopted a resolution a year ago endorsing the work of Cesar Chavez and his UPWOC.

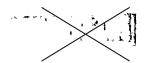
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Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

It is recommended that a 100-NEW case be opened on (U) BESSIE (LNU) and AL (LNU) and assigned.

The case is open, and is assigned for SI

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(U) consideration.

All other necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

os Angeles California March, 1969

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On Wednesday, 5 March, 1969, at 8.00 p.m. a meeting was held at the Hungarian Cultural Center, 1251 South St Andrew's Fl. Los Angeles.

Meeting. - - Panel (discussion).

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One of number of panels on different subjects being held from which resolutions or recommendations will be submitted to C.P. District Convention.

These panel meetings open only to C.P. members.

Any C.P. members wishing to can attend.

At about 8.IO p.m. Ben Dobbs called the meeting to order.

Ben announced the agenda.

The circulation of the paper ( P.W. ).

Building the paper. ( and other aspects ).

At conclusion of reports the floor would be open ( for anyone wishing to special). We could make notes to help us with our opinions.

Ben asked audience how long should each speaker ( after reports ) be allowed. Five or ten minutes?

This was decided by show of hands.

Thirteen hands raised in favor of ten minutes.

Then show of hands for five minutes. Ben did not announce number for five minutes but said, after looking at raised hands that it would be five minutes.

Sam Kushner made a speech.

(U)Sam referred to the role and character of the paper ( P.W. ) Its relation to the demonstrations and struggles of the time.

Particularly those of the minorities. The colored and the Mexian, and the students.

The paper coverage of the strikes, the Herex ( Herald - Exeminer ), the grape pickers ( Deleno ) and Harvey Aluminum. possibly with some criticism of Murdock by others

Sam mentioned in mind r

Sam said

needed no defending.

was a good and ( in effect

worthy Marxist. On the building of the paper ( setting subscribers ) Sam said that lists of names ( prospective subscribers ) had been given to clubs ( CF ) but after a year not one name ( prospect ) had been called on.

The names ( lists ) had been taken back and given to other clubs to call on. ( Sam mentioned this with some bitterness ).

Sadie Doroshkin made a speech.

Sadie spoke mainly about money for the P.W.

Some of her remarks. ( in effect )

It is becoming more and more difficult to raise enough money to keep the paper going.

Our ways of raising money have been, the banquet ( PW ), the bazaar, the fund drive and and ( Py ) good-will store, which brings in 35.500.00. ( a year ) also found necessary, to call on prospective donors.

( Little or no enthusiasm shown by the a jority of club(s) members to call on prospective P.T. subscribers. Less enthusiasm still to call on prople ( with donation requests.

Sadie spoke of request by the Lational Committee ( OF ) for SI2.660.00. more

the lest week quoton for the fund drive.

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This additional 312.000.00. to the F.W. fund drive quota for the West Coast means an increase of about 25 % to 30 % to each indivual fund quota. Sadie said she did not know how the clubs would be able to meet this increase. She had mentioned ways to raise the money.

Sadie's attitude expressed little hope of the fund drive with the \$12.000.00. addition being reached. The stumbling block, the \$12.000.00.

Ben Dobbs noted those in audience who wanted to speak ( five minutes each ).

The first speaker, Sidney -

Sidney spoke, with some help from notes jetted down earlier in meeting. Some of his comments. ( In effect )

The paper does not speak in Socialist or Marxist language.

The paper has not for some time been edited in the true interests or mennor in which such a paper should be managed.

If the staff (P.W.) should continue to operate in this manner then they should be replaced.

Other speakers.

Al \* ( surname not amnounced ).

Al spoke with severe criticism of some of the differences in the Party resulting from opposing views on situations, as that of Uzechoslovakia and nore, recently the tensions caused by isreal imperialsm.

Al spoke of the unfortunate situation in which some of the Arabs found themselves through this situation.

hathilde Tolly spoke.

She said she and telephone of the building of the circulation of the paper ( PW ).

She said she and the probability not attending the meetings but outside selling and in some cases giving free introdutory copies of the P.W. ).

They usually sold about 20 copies ( PW ). Nost of the workers in this local are

minority groups, black and brown. This is the way also ( not only to sell ins.) to find recruits for the Party.

Other speakers spoke of the ( proposed ) merger of the People's World and the Daily World.

Opinions on this were mixed. Generally it was for acceptance, with little enthu-

Aurelio Aldezmo spoke.

Al (Aurelio) spoke mainly of the use of a four letter word during a skit by theatrical entertainers during the recent Anniversary celebration of the P.W. That he had thought of bringing his I6 year old daughter to the affair. Lenin, Eark and Engels did not use such language.

Some interjections from the audience contradicting this.

Someone. - Marx used profamity often.

Denothy Healey spoke a while.

Denothy was critical ( with a smalle on her face as she spoke ) of Al's remarks regarding the said cituation some of the Arabs found themselves in. This attitude, she said, went back for ten years, when he said the seas thing about Hungary ( student rebellion )

al colled Dorothy a livr. This did not noticeably embarross her.
She continued with her speech and received several interjections from Sain y



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Dorothy Healey continued with her speech. When she referred to some of Sidney's comments (during his 5 minute speech ) he interjected several times to contrad her.

Though the meeting was at times non-harmonious, Ben Dobbs, the chairman, found it necessary several times only to ask for order.

This one time to Al, when he clashed with another speaker ( Bessie ).

Bessie - spoke mainly and with regard to Al's references to the poor Arabs, how about the Jews, fighting to exist.

Did they ( Jews ) not also have the right to live in peace ( in effect )

Al resented Bessie's inference, that he was indifferent to the Jewish people, and called out that he nelsed the Jews to break the English blockade.

Ben Dobbs spoke again for a while.

Ben said he had copies of letter of the National Executive Com ittee of the CP. ( 1959 ) re its position on the P.W. We ( those present ) could take copies at end of meeting. They would be on table.

The main points of the neeting were the need for all ( CP ) to stand behind the pa per and do all we can to help it in its struggle to keep functioning.

To, particularly, get new readers, etc.

The mesting terminated at about TO.30 p.m.

There were about 40 persons present.

Mostly elderly. 55 years and over

Three younger men present

and two others.

Among those present were,

Angelo Bertolini Sam Kushner

Nemmy Sparks

Ethel Bertolini

Flo Kushner

Alice Sparks

Aurelio Aldezno

Albert Rudman

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Bob Lodge

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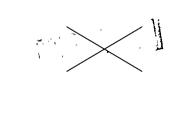
The next (and last ) panel, subject, "Politics ", to be held Monday, IO March, 1969. 8 p.m. Same place.

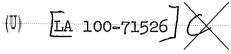
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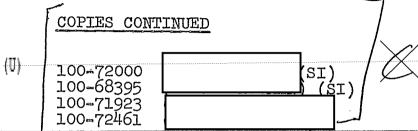
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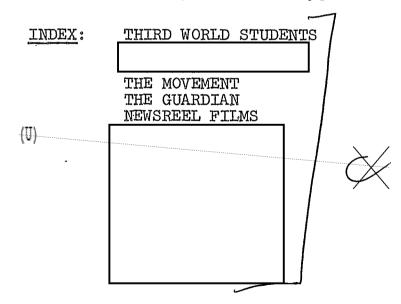




#### ACTION:

Informant has advised of all information contained in this report prior to its submission. Report was made up on 2/6/69 and forwarded by mail being received on 3/3/69.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.





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(I) <u>El Camino S.D.S</u>#

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Although in the past the political ideology of El Camino 6.DS. was closly united with that of the Regional Office, pro Progressive Labor Party in fluances have changed the ideas of many members of the group. Lead by

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the others have begun to take a basic working-class analysis of the struggle. This may be seen by examining the content behind the demands recently printed by S.D.S. and distributed during spring Registration.

S.D.S. Demands - Content

- (1) SDS takes the position that the demands of BSU and HEP are in the interests of all members of the working class sinie these demands spek an ena to the exploitative racism that exists at EL Camino (and all other capalistic institutions) If the racism is exposed and abolished, the capitalistic system will fall sinie it exists on Yacism &
- (2) SDS feels that the Black and Third Norld
  Students Should rightfully be heary admitted
  if only to dispell the ruling class lie that
  admitting more Third World students Will
  end racism. Also, in this way IDS. hopes to
  unite with Black and Brown movements,
  (most members of SDS consider Et Caminos
  BSU a co-opled organization and

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(3) Since the Police Department is involved in the struggle as fock of the students and people, El Camino SDS wants their studies off the campus which should be non for the Students and

(1) people.

(4) This is a widely publicized libral desire; the "pass-fail" system of grading combined with the option of repeating any failures without trouble. The Administration has done some research on this.

(5) This demands involves section 51-37 of the Admisistrative Code which involves the censorship of any majerial "not considered good toste by the Baily Breeze". Also, no political clup may form on compus that has national tres unless it was on the 1964 California Ballot.

(b) This "blanket" demand states the goal of.

(b) Involving the Community in the Radical Aruggle.

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(8) See the revuse side of the demand paper "for mis. Of

(9) SPS fiels that communication is Limited:

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with weapons to further stiffe student—administration

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(10) this demand is taken from the San Francisco State demands and is self-explanatory.

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- L. That the present Board of Trustees begin implemntation of the demands of the BSU and HEP at El Camino College.
- 2. That an unlimited number of Black and Third World people be admitted to El Camino College and that entrance requirements be dropped, and admittance be on a first come, first served basis.
- 3. That all Police Science courses be moved to an OFF CAMPUS location and that the PIG SCIENCE BUILDING be renamed Ethnic Studies Building.
- 4. That "pass no credit" grading be instituted on our campus to be taken at option of individual students.
- 5. That all administrative interpretations, regulations, and policies that suppress political freedom and literary freedom be immediately voided.
- 6. That a committee composed equally of students and faculty power and community have veto power over the choice of the College's Structure President—the procedure being that the Academic Senate give this committee a list of candidates from which the committee will reject those that it feels would not promote the interests of the local academic community,
- 7. That the Board of Trustoes begin meaningful negotiations on the implementation of the domands of the BSU and HEP at EGC. for needy Students
- 8. Non-complicity with the Selective Service System.
- 9. That outside police be barred from entry to the college and that the campus police be disarmed on the campus where they do carry arms.
- 10. That amnesty be granted to any student that is involved in any protest that may arise from these demands not being met.

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SDS Orientation meeting for new and returning members on Friday. February 7, at 2:00. Draft alternatives available.

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STUDENT DEFERMENT.

The El Camino College Students for a Democratic Society urges all new and returning students to reject the 2-S (student deferments) Your local draft board has informed us that an estimated 141 former El Camino students were killed in the armed forces because the Administration turned in reports their student standing to the Selective Service System. There is NO LAW requiring El Camino College to comply with the Selective Service System in expediting the transformation of student to soldier to corpse. Since the purpose of El Camino College is to perform a service to its students, do you think the schools complicity with the Selective Service System is . in the intrest of the students. S.D.S. believes not, we believe that the administrations complicity with the S.S.S. is a great disservice not only to the thousands of young men that it mutilates and injures, but to the other thousands that are affected by our

own complicity. Before you accept your 2-S deferment you should be aware of the  $\{J\}$ 

following ramifications,

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I. If you accept the new 2-S defermentyou will be libelto the  $\{U\}$ draft until age 35, not 26. II. You will be unable to change your classification or seek any

other type of deferment. III. Unless pursuing a couse that is in the "National Interest" (U)

you may receive only one year for post-graduate work. (0)When your allotted education time is up, or you "flunk IV. out" or otherwise lose your 2-S, you will be placed before all

(U)19 year-olds with 1-A classifications.



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(U)	Inglewood.	
	Former Long Beach State Student, has been	
	in SDS since November. He has so good political	
(U)	theory and follows the PL.line.	
	: 22 yrs, medium build, brn. eyes, 16. brn.	
	hair and mustash, glasses - Redondo	b6
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	In SDS since September, Marrist background	
	and affiliations. Former labor union organizer, very	
/TT\	close with Black groups including Panthers. Heavy	
(v)	Marxist-Leninist politics.	
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(U)	El Camino SDS	
(U) .	Other Campus Organizations: Tolling MIAL	-3-
	While SDs is considered the most "revolutionary"	•
	organization on campus, there are four other left	
(□)	groups on campus with which sos deals.	ž
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· - <i>i</i>	Human and Educational Power (HEP)	
, L	About 40 members, considered second most radical group;	
(U)	is the leader. HQ.	
(0)	SDS relations have grown better with HEP since SDS	 . b6
	broke away from SDS-HEP coalition. HEP does some re-	b7C
	search for SDs and will participate with EDS in some	
•	"study groups." Pledged about two weeks ago	
	that HEP would help SDS shut down the school this	
	up coming semester. HEP's politics, while radical, are not	-
·(U)	revolutionary.	
(U)	Students For Academic Freedom (SAF)	
	Recently formed, about 10 members, is the.	. •
(U)	leader. H.G. same as for HEP.	
	SAF seems to be an OFF-shoot OF HEP? Its politics are similar to HEPs, but SAF will only be concerned with	
	the campus. It is expected that SAF will co-operate	•
<del>(U)</del>	with both HEP and SDS.	b6
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(U)	Fusion Forum &	
	Left-liberal group, about forty members:	
<del>(</del> U)	and seem to	
r e <sup>r</sup>	be the leadership.	
	Fusion Forum publishes a newspaper and has	* <u>*</u>

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-	dealings with the Resistance and the Form Workers.	
(U)	Fusion and SDS, while on good terms, have never	
(0)	worked openly together.	
(U)	Black Student Union (BSU)	
• • (	About two hundred members; and	
<del>(</del> U)	are the leaders.	
	BSU and SDS do not work together well at El	
	Camino College. Last somester under	
	conservative leadership the BSU would only ally	
,	with HEP or SDS by <u>supporting</u> each others candidates	
	For student council. Was recently elected	-
	BSU President for this coming semester and while	
	he is more radical than the BSU has had	
	most of its demands to the administration granted	
(U)	and seems satisfied.	i-
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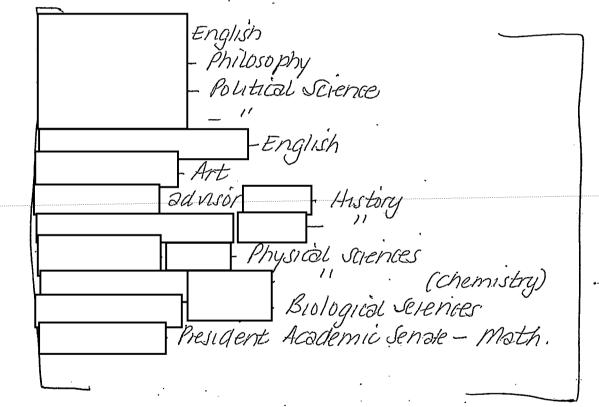
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The following faculty members are those that SDS feels it can count on in time of financial need. Many have contributed in the past to SDS. Lunder the newspaper name "Campus Forum")



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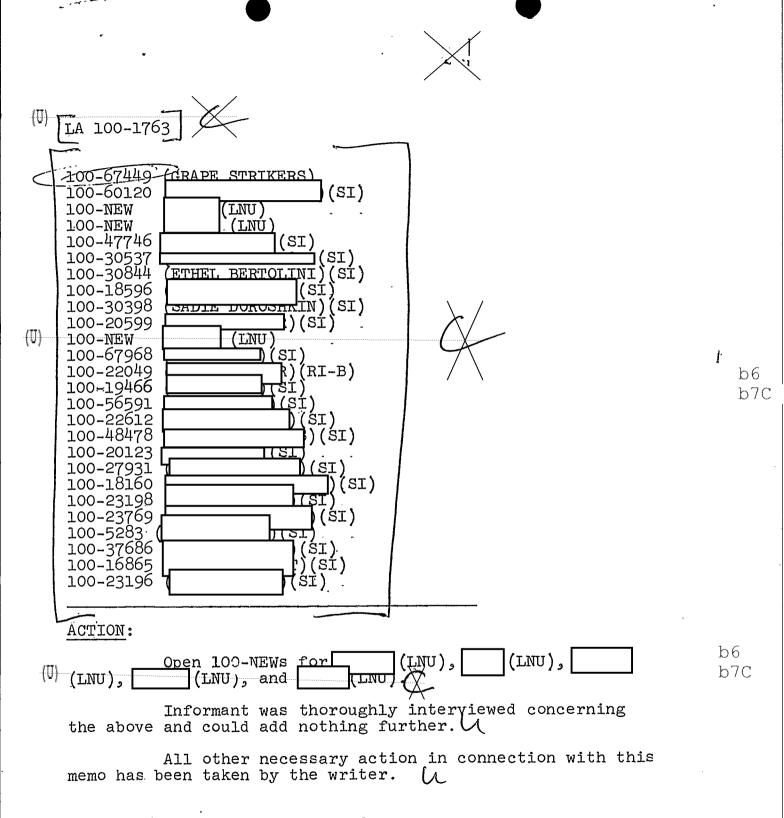
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The Pre-Convention Panel on The Communist Party, C.P., SCD, was held on Thursday, Feb. 28, 1969, at 8:00 P.M., at 1251 S. St.

Andrews Pl., Los Angeles. The Panel was chaired by FLO KUSHNER.

The main report was given by BEN DOBBS, who prefaced his report with an explanation of the fund raising obligations of the clubs in preparation for the Convention: (amount equivalent to \$5.00 per member).

DOBBS opened his report with a criticism of the National Committee for its failure to prepare revisions or recommendations on the National C.P. Constitution or adequate proposals on Party Building. He urged all club chairmen to prepare an initial analysis of the work of his club before the March 6th meeting of Club Chairmen.

In analyzing the Draft Resolution, DOBBS stated its main weakness was its approach which tends to cut off discussion by proscibing certain areas that are immune from criticism and self-criticism (the C.P., for example); and selects methods, not policies, as the major problem. It further emphasizes centralism at the cost of Party democracy, and eliminates the participation of the membership in decision making.

In analyzing the work of the District and clubs, DOBBS commented that the major weakness in the club is the gap between those comrades active in mass work and the failure of the clubs to provide guidance to their work. His proposals for work in the District included the following:



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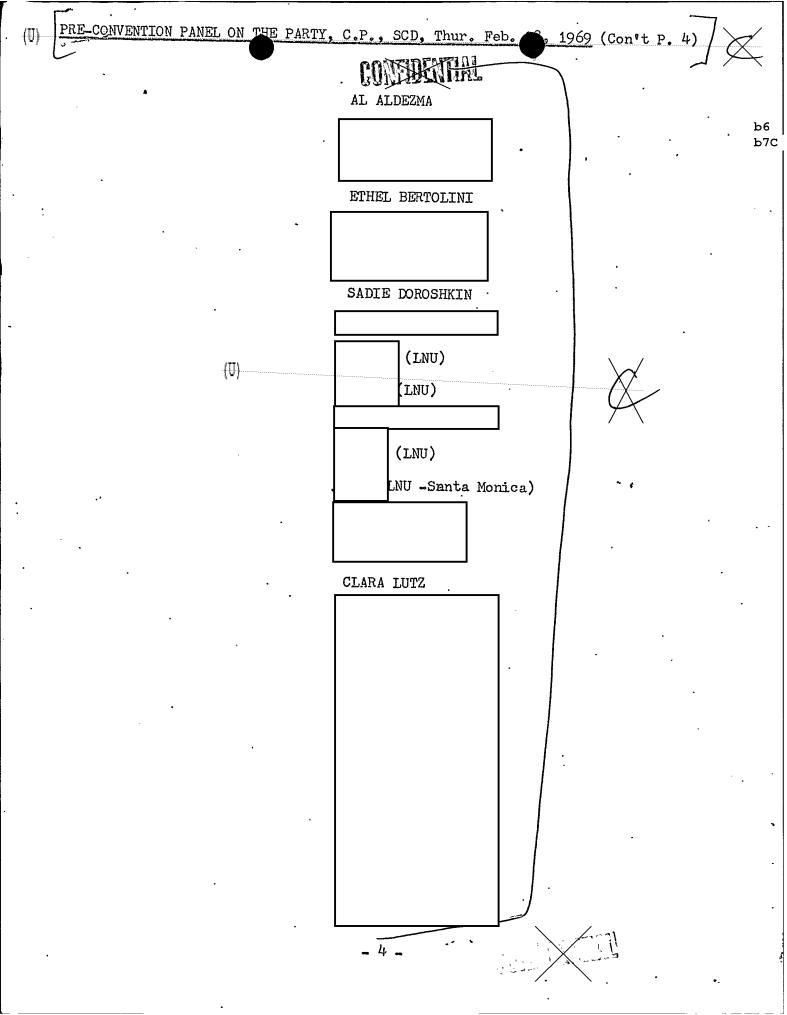
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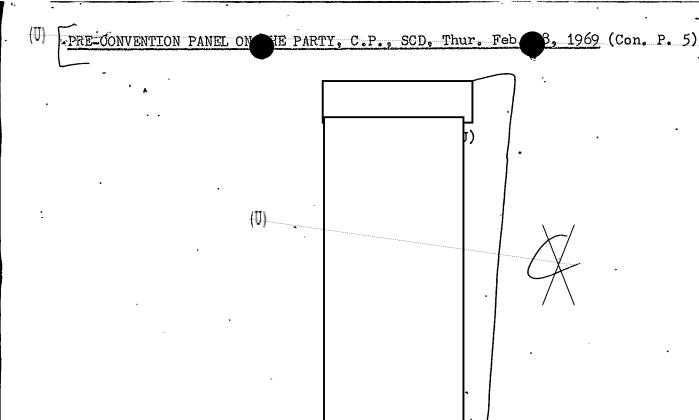
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PRE-CONVENTION PANEL THE PARTY, C.P., SCD, Thur. F 28, 1969 (Con. P. 3)
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9) (LNU): Fiery denunciation of DOBBS and defense of
(U) policies of National Committee.
(U) Mostly incoherent defense of C.P.
Question of how we reach policies and then
implement them; discussion of democratic centralism as to point at which
(U) discussion stops and line must be carried out.
0n responsibility of clubs to relate to community
and support of trade union struggles, as for example the Grape Strike.
Angry denunciation of National leadership
for bureaucracy and dishonest policies. Demanded democratic rights for
Districts and clubs to set policy.
14) LNU): Made no sense at all.
15) LNU): Demanded C.P. stop calling black members "Negro".
This concluded the speaker's roster. It was agreed to call
another meeting of the Panel after the Org. Commission sets a date.
A roaring announcement by that the Centinela Club had
(U) "voted to oppose the seating of the District Committee with right to vote
at the District Convention", was ruled off the floor.
A demand by that there be more rank and file partici-
pation in drafting the Resolution from this panel was referred back to the
Org. Commission.
The Panel adjourne d at 10:35 P.M. About 60 persons were in
attendance, among whom were the following:
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(U)	"On Tuesday March 25th, 1969 I attended a Communist Party meeting of the Echo Park Club at 2142 Princeton Street, Los Angeles, California.
	"The following persons were present CLARA LUTZ.   b6 ETHEL BERTOLINI, EMILY ALDEZMA   b7C  MATILDA TOLLY.
<del>(</del> U)	chairman for the Club read the proposed agenda and an evaluation of the comrades would be in order and announcements. No dues were collected and no literature was displayed.
<b>(</b> Ū}	"CLARA LUTZ announced that the grape strikers had decided to boycott Safeways and discontinue the boycott at Pioneer Market, at the next meeting it will be decided what action to take. Also the Retailers Clerks would meet at the Embassy Auditorium and it was urged by the People's b7C world (PW) be distributed. and MATILDA volunteered to go.
	"BETTY told of how active he is in the Polish organization and that it was for fund raising purposes also some of these funds went to PW. and ETHEL are very much involved in an Italian culteral organization. ETHEL is a writer in addition to her work in the Bill of Rights Defense Committee is quite active in PW work among other fund raising affairs.
	a member of an Educational Commission in the Party.  has been instrumental in being assigned by the District to work in control of communities with the youth as of the first walkout b6 last year. CLARA and have worked in PW together with  MATTIDA TOLLY have raised hundreds and hundreds of dollars for the PW. They have also gotten many subscriptions. MATTLDA alone was responsible for (12) last year. and CLARA are also very helpful in a humanitarian way to the Farm workers. was in her own fashion very intelligent in making many things and is always asked to transport people here and there. BETTY told of giving Marxist classes for sometime and was instrumental in
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"On March 26th at Hungarian Hall at 8: PM the Jewish Question will be discussed. Thursday 27th the panel on Youth and Friday 28th black liberation. Those who wanted to go would be welcome. a brief report was given as who to vote for the Jr. Board of Education. The club will still meet regardless."

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Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

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### Calendar of Events:

Sunday, April 20, 7:00 p.m., third floor commons- the films Decition in Delano and Huelga will be shown. These films portray ile or alla of the grape strike. 25¢.

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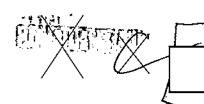
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Wednesday, April 23, 7:30, FA178- the movie Grapes of Wrath will be shown. 25¢.

Thursday, April 24, 2:00, third floor commons- the movie Harveet of Shame will be shown. This movie depicts the plight of today's migrant workers as they travel from Southern cotton fields to the orthords of California, 25¢.

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# Grape Strikers Backed by Mexico Labor Unit

Largest Workers' Organization South of Border Vows Support for Chavez Union

# BY RUBEN SALAZAR

Times Staff Writer

MEXICALI - Cesar Chavez' grape-striking farm workers got a significant boost Friday with the endorsement of Mexico's largest workers' organization, the Mexican Confederation of Workers (CTM).

The CTM is the labor arm of the almost monolithic Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI) — which has ruled Mexico for 40 years—and thus Mexico's official labor voice.

At a press conference, Domingo Garcia Ulloa, national CTM delegate for border states Baja California and Sonora, told newsmen the CTM supports the grape boycott and Chavez' efforts to organize the Mexican commuters.

#### Solidarity Rally

Garcia Ulloa said the CTM has called upon all Mexican workers in the Mexicali valley to join in an international solidarity rally at the border Suneday.

Chavez' brother, Manuel, who has been negotiating with Mexican labor leaders, said the CTM's backing will facilitate the orgamizing of farm labor com-

muters, or "green carders," who cross the border to pick the grapes of struck Coachella Valley growers.

The CTM's official backing of the boycott and commuter organizing attempt could be a great psychological boost for Mexican farm laborers who cross the border to work in American border farmlands.

Commuters have often wondered, according to union organizers, what the official reaction would be from Mexico's officialdom about joining Chavez' union.

### Trek Reaches Brawley

Earlier, about 100 farm workers and their followers arrived in Brawley on the last lap of their 100mile march from Indio to the border.

The marchers, whose numbers have dwindled to as low as 35 during the trek in the blazing hot desert between the Salton Sea and Brawley, are trying to win support from Mexican commuters who cross the international line to work in American vineyards.

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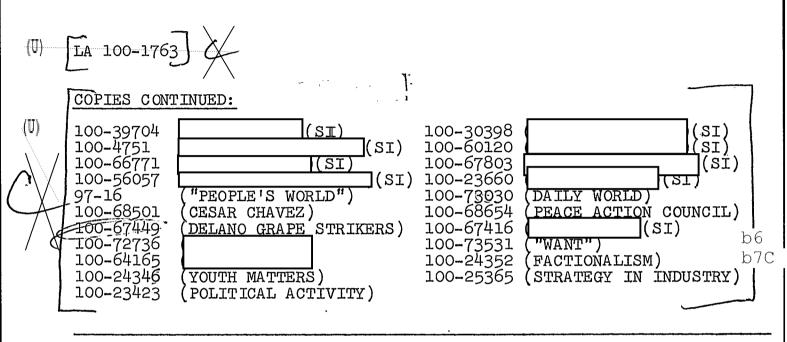
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(U) | LA 100-43948 "Members present were:  $\{U\}$ b6 b7C and  $\{U\}$ "Clubs treasury hold \$105.25. No bills were presented. No previous meetings read because was absent. try to sell tickets for the 19th annual Conference & dinner for the Committee for Defense of the Bill of Rights. It was voted that the club buy one ticket and attend so she can bring a report to this club. have will try to sell two tickets and will also try to sell two more. This conference will be at Larchmont Hall; 118 North Larchmont in Los Angeles on April 19th. The dinner will be at 7:30 PM. Donation per person \$3.25. Proceeds will be for the L.A. Committee for Defense of Bill of Rights. "Five dollars were donated by this club to the Whittier Unitarian Sanctuary to help with the expense for the Young Marine Lance Corporal & who were AWOL from military service and have been arrested. The Unitarian church have an attorney to help for their (U) defense. ( requested donations of food & clothes for the Grape Farm Workers, of Delano California. Members will  $\{U\}$ donate canned foods ./



(U) [	LA 100-43948 X	
	"On April 16th there will be a lecture at the Hungarian Hall in Los Angeles; the topic will be a poem on in Prison.' at eight PM.	b6
(U)	"A pot luck dinner will be at home, 216 S. Soto in Los Angeles on April 13th the proceeds for the 'Defense of the Bill of Rights.'	b7
$\{U\}$	"On April 18th at the Greek theater will be PETE SEEGER & LEN CHANDLIER, 2700 N. Vermont in Los Angeles. Proceeds will be to Abolish the House of Un-American Committee & Defense of the Bill of Rights.	
(U)	"Every member to write to their Senators opposing the ABM systems.	
(U) [	"There will be a P.W. Fund raising dinner at home on April 27th sponored by the L.B. & 23rd Communist Clubs but asked this club to donate food & help for serving. Committee set to meet Friday April, 1969.	
	(U) "Meeting adjourned."	
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	Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.	
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sidered part of the working class; that class consciousness has to

be pushed in terms of students, but the resolution has been tabled as

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(U)	Another resolution that was voted on and adopted has been People's World paper merge with the Daily World in one newspaper and the big issue there is the cost. It was resolved that it would be a good idea to put the Daily World and the Peoples' World together, adding that information of a local nature so it can be distributed to the comrades, however, they don't feel at this time that there is enough money to support the Daily World and the Peoples' World. Sam Kushner and many other comrades gave their opinions on this.
(U)	One of the things that the party was criticized for, at least at this convention was that there was not enough active participation in terms of the comrades going out on the picket lines and taking them to school and selling them, there hasn't been that much spirit among the party members to really push the paper.
(Uj	Jewish community who when it comes to fund raising, the progressive Jews are always there to give the money to the People's World, but they never see any issues relating to their struggle in relation to the Brown and the Black communities.
( <del>U)</del>	After much deliberation and much debating going back and forth through these different delegates, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will take place on May 16 and May 17.
J)	It was announced by Ben Dobbs at the meeting that on Saturday, May 10th, there will be an appeal from Cesar Chavez to all Communist Party members of the Peace Action Council (of which evidently there are Communist who belong to the Peace Action Council), to help boycott the Safeway Stores. This is an international day of boycott, that is the date that has been picked, and he made an appeal for all of the comrades not to shop at Safeway. The Delano (the grape issue) issue is still pertinent to us and the party has made a policy on that and a stand on that and we were all urged to help in this boycott. Details will be given later to what our role is to be played in each different club.
	Following information was picked up by Source during the meeting:
J)	as rollows: "Can you make a meeting for the workers' collective this Sunday afternoon at 4 at and We are going to discuss paper on revolutionary working class youth movements and the discussion on what industry our women will go into.  Committed herself to go to this meeting. That makes 3 meetings that Source has to go to on Sunday. The one meeting is the in b6 the morning; the afternoon will be the
U) I	The next note that was issued to Source was the fact that  live at  I was urged as follows, "Sorry to wreck your Sunday, but we have to meet at no other time.    Directions were given;   Direction
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shift and he can not make evening meetings. It would be great if you could make it. Is there any chance that you could leave the other meeting just this once?" I stated that I would leave the meeting because I was urged both by and by to please come to this meeting, so I'm committed to that meeting in the afternoon.

afternoon. ⋉ b6 Up to this time Source has never met Dorothy Healey officially and b7C all of a sudden out of a clear blue sky just because has issued this note to me throught Dorothy, she has passed it to me, Dorothy immediately got up and introduced herself to me and I responded in the appropriate manner. At this time during the meeting, had also made an issue of me coming to the meeting and delighted to see me, threw her arms around me and had asked me why I hadn't called her and that we should get together and discuss the industrial collective lalso made a generous together again, have another meeting. response to me at this meeting and so did of whom he At the same time shortly had given me his new phone number thereafter, Ben Dobbs spotted me in the hall and from the other side of the room came over to my table where I was sitting with land made a very warm greeting. The only unusual response that I got from any person in the room other than a warm greeting was that greeting that I received from has always been on the defensive, and whether it is a personality clash between Source & | it seems that he is a arrogant individual and I just play along, play it cool with him. did say afterwards that I'm very glad to see you here. However, he was quite shocked at seeing me at a Communist Party meeting. However, when he did see me amongst other comrades, I think the reception that I got from the other comrades at that meeting, he seemed to relax a little bit more > Present at the meeting were delegates from the Communist Party that were elected from the various clubs, and there were people who were comrades This is basically how the evening went. who could sit in as observers. was censured from the convention; It was noted that censured because he cartier at another meeting made a racist comment to The comment was  $mad_{b70}$ explained to me what the situation was. during a big debate over whether or not comrades should use the word black People or Negro people. requested that comrades no longer refer to the Negro people as Negro people but as black people asked him whether or not this means that they have to and it seems

has also asked that I contact him.

throw away all of Herbert Aptheker's books.

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There was one thing that was picked up by Source and it is entitled, "Speech by Gus Hall at District Convention 4-5-69, CP of So. Calif. In this report that he gives, which is an unedited copy, I would like to quote something which I think is relevant.

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It states here, "I would only urge that we would see the full signifance and I suggest we would take seriously the idea that we must as a party be able to give total focus, I mean total focus, for the next two months on the election of Bradley. I don't care what else you put aside, inner or outer, I think there is a historic responsibility that you must accept, that no stone will go unturned or untouched in the election of Bradley for mayor." I feel this is very pertinent information, it must be returned to Source, but I think it was important for me to pick up.

(U) End of report.



OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 CONFIDENTIAL GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE MemorandumDATE 05-26-2011 5/20/69 sac, Los angeles (100-59693) SA ROBERT H. CLAUDIUS ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED 24th C.D. SECTION SUBJECT: EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT COMMUNIST PARTY (SCDCP) OTHERWISE (U)SOURCE ACTIVITY AGENT LOCATION RECEIVED 4/30/69 Mtg Echo Writer Park Club SCDCP 4/22/69 Informant's report is quoted as follows: "On April 22, 1969 the Echo Park Club, Section Club of the 26 C.D. Section of the Southern Calif. Communist Party held a meeting at 8 PM at the home of (U)., Los Angeles, Calif. bб "Those recognized were: X b7C (U)(U)(U) "7 people attended the meeting. ( 10-16-80 CLASS. & EXT. BY 5 CC: REASON-FCIM II. 1 (RI-B) 100-28443 DATE OF REVIEW 100-16865 SI) 100-2318 (SI) (U)b6 100-56495 SI b7C 100-31131 (SI) 100-30844 ŠI) 100-56588 (U)(SI) MAY 2 0 1969 100-17104 101 - LOS ATRELLES 100-59007 CDC) 100-25365 STRATEGY IN INDUSTRY) 100-67449 GRAPE STRIKERS) RHC/lel Read by

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(U)	police chief   chauvenistic attitude and to ask other people to call the station also.  "The May 10, 1969 boycott of the Safeway stores by the	e /
(U) •	Grape strikers and the participation of the club was discussed.	
(U) ·	"The meeting adjourned at 10 PM.  "The next meeting of the Echo Park Club will be held	
(U)	April 29, 1969 at 8 PM at the home of loll Rosemont Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.	b6 b7C
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OFFICE MEMORANDUM (J) SAC, LOS ANGELES/(100-26200) DATE: |5/21/69 b6 TO: (U)b7CFROM: (U)DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE SUBJECT: MAY DAY COMMITTEE (MDC) DATE 05-26-2011  $\{U\}$ LOCATION ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT SOURCE ıb7D May Day 5/5/69 Writer (U)Rally on 5/1/69. Informant's report has been Xeroxed and is attached. 10-16-80 CLASS. & EXT. REASON-FCIM II. DATE OF REVIEW CC: SACRAMENTO (REGISTERED) с: I (DELANO GRAPE 100-. 100-67449 DELANO GRAPE STRIKE) STRIKE) 100-17375 SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY) (U)100-64165 TOM BRADLEY) (U)"PEOPLE'S WORLD") 97-16 (si) 100-7518 ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED 100-50398 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED 100-71566 LACDBR) b6 EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN 100-70734 b7C (SI) 100-58628 OTHERWISE 100-71824 100-32992 (SI 100-71283 (SI) 100-67449 )(SI) 100-36540 100-57253 YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE) 100-68352 )(SI) MAY 21 1969 100-69390 (U)

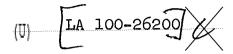
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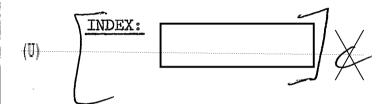
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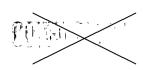
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Celebrate May Day Calif. Comm. for the People's World) May 4, 1969 Y DERIVED FROM: # Page I(cont.) FBE AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE [DATE 05-26-2011 Thursday, May 1st, 1969 Baces Hall, 1528 N. Vermont, L.A. (U) Location-Approx. 7:30 p.m. - 9:25 p.m. Duration-No. Present- Approx. 200/ X (0)Agenda-- Unknown woman, who acted as the M.C., spoke on support for the grape workers union and coming boycott at all Safeway Markets for May 10th. Stated that the Socialist Workers Party had celebrated the first eight-hour-day for the working class that they had fought for and brought about, in Chicago in 1886. She stated the People's World is and urges support of Bradley for mayor. Spoke on fighting to "bring the boys home from this stupid war", and supporting ones -(U)who are arrested at the colleges. / Speakers-(U)

Hugh De Lacy, former Congressman from Washington State, supported ones who are arrested at colleges, supporting all black people on the campuses until they win their rights. Spoke on keeping all the working people together and furthering Socialism throughout the world.

Unknown (light complexion negro) who is a writer for the People's World Newspaper, urged the vote for Bradley for Mayor. praised the People's World Newspaper as being one that is able to reach the working class people. They want to know what is happening and the true picture is brought to them, not being twisted. Has another job besides writing for the People's World, he stated. He had arrived late and stated he had just finished an interview for another job and thinks he may have received the job. Said the People's World is for the working people but if the nuclear weapons aren't stopped, there won't be a world left for the people to live on.

Unknown Herald-Examiner Striker stated the Herald is still being seen for sale on the streets and being bought by people who don't realize it is being produced by a scab outfit. Said it is harder to negotations because of increased circulation sales. Urged support of Bradley. All of men that are on the strikers picket line will not be there on May-10th, as they will be helping in the Grape Boycott at the Safeway Markets.

baritone soloist, and piano accompanist, provided several songs, of which two of them being "The Hammer be and the Bell" and "This is My Country". "The Hammer and the Bell" by song brought the greatest applause, as De Lacy had stated that some of the people present might not have thought the other songs presented by him might have been appropriate for this May Day celebration, but "The Hammer and the Bell" was the one for the working class people. The unknown writer made a call for financial support, mid-program,

Books were sold on table, several of which were "Czechoslovakia

and announced that \$292 had been collected.

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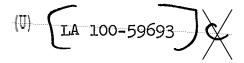
Celebrate May Day o. Calif. Comm. for the Parle's World (cont.) May 4. 1969/  $\{ \mathbb{U} \}$ Page 2. At The Crossroads (By Gus Hall) and "Soviet Literature" monthly, produced by the Union of Writers of the U.S.S.R. and printed there. Placed on each seat had been a card of announcement of Come to an International Happening on Sunday, June 8, 1969. All day from 10 a.m. at American Croatian Hall, 330 So. Ford Blvd. by the L.A. Committee for Defense of the Bill of Rights. Donation \$0.75 Student \$0.50. (see for further info.) A Fifteenth Jubilee Concert of the American Jewish Choral Society was placed on the seats. It will be Sunday, May 18, 1969 at the Wilshire Ebell Theatre, 4401 West Eighth Street. (see as marked) Seen or heard: (besides speakers)

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Members of S.W.D. and Y.S.A. were outside selling the Militant and subscriptions for such. Knew them to having seen them at their was seen, outside, but not forums, but not by name. Y.S.A.) was one selling active. Young youth, known only as Militant.

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[	]		chairman	
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U)	against and it was no whites, that that we back noted that ir	lutions took place regard and he was oted by Sam KUSHNER that when we're faced with an the black people and the the labor situation, that nite black and white work	s censured from the conv it's absolutely necessan issue of racism within black comrades. It wa hat we stress the issue	ry, as the party <sub>b6</sub>
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and with full knowledge, took a leave of absence in April of 1969. will be working in Industrial Concentration. He took a leave of absence without asking any of the members of this club. Further more, another issue was brought up by Sam KUSHNER, that was transferred into our club and voted into the club without an official transfer from his old club. Sam blew-up about this because you just don't walk into Communist Clubs without a transfer and you don't take a leave of absence without asking the other members of the club, or at least telling the other members of the club. evidently had discussed his leave of absence with Dorothy HEALEY, even though it was the incorrect thing to do and contrary to party policy and discipline. Sam was very upset about this, not because of anything else, but because of lack of b6 discipline and the club is falling apart. day, he didn't want to come to the meeting, so, he just checked that off and he had a meeting with Ben DOBBS, so this seems to be a tremendous \_flecided, one b7C problem that is presented to this club and other clubs. Source and Sam outside of apartment, had a long talk on party discipline and it can be mentioned here, that because of this W.A.N.T. Committee thing, the same thing happened there. The only people that attended the work meeting, were and and it's essential that all the comrades put their work into it and, if they say (1) they re going to hit a meeting, that they do, in fact, hit a meeting It was mentioned by At this point, interjected and started screaming at . "Where the hell were you?" because they were not at the meeting at the time they were supposed to be there. Sam made not of this, that if they call a meeting at 4:00 and somebody takes the  ${\tt respo}_{{\tt D}7{\tt D}}$ sibility to call them and tell them they're going to be late at 4:00 and the people at which house the meeting is supposed to take place aren't even there, there's obviously something wrong in the discipline within (U) the party. It was noted to Source, that after the National Convention, there is going to be a tremendous amount of reorganizing the club. On Saturday, May 10, it was mentioned in an earlier report, that there would be an International Day of Boycott, sponsored by Ceasar CHAVEZ, in terms of the Delano thing, at the Safeway Stores. All the comrades have been asked to put their full support into this. There will be discipline, in terms of club direction and also discipline in education. It's really going to be handled with an iron hand because it seems the youth has not done what they're supposed to do, at the time they're supposed to do it. Sam said, "If they don't want to become Communists, this is their proagative, but we've got to get them out of (1) the club. At the end of this meeting, Source received "Labor Resolution" from written by him and presented to the S.C.D.C.P. Convention, /5/69, (filed in 1.2, pg. 47) 🞉 CONFIDENTIAL

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A meeting of the Committee of One Hundred was held on April 17, 1969 at 501 Ladera Street, Monterey Park, California. Those known in attendance were: and wife, and this meeting.) The speaker was union representative for the Grape Strikers ((UFWOC), and a friend of Caesar Chavez. He stated that on 5/10/69 there will be a grape strike boycott of the Safeway Stores, and 16 or 18 stores will be picked out for picket attention. He urged all to help in the picketing activities. There will be a meeting on 4/19/69 at All Nations Hall, Soto Street, where buttons and handbills will be available. It was stated that the union representatives had met with Safeway executives and Safeway wanted to make some concessions but Chavez doesn't want the concessions. On 5/15/69 the Safeway will have a business meeting at Cakland, California, and at this time the unionnplans to demonstrate. On 5/20/69 friends of the Grape Strikers will go to the Stock Exchange in NYC and demonstrate, thus hoping to have an effect on Safeway stocks. Mayor of Los Angeles, California. He is concerned with the election of left-wing candidates in the Los Angeles Junior College Board election and the defeat of the right-wing candidates. The Mexican minority must be elected.

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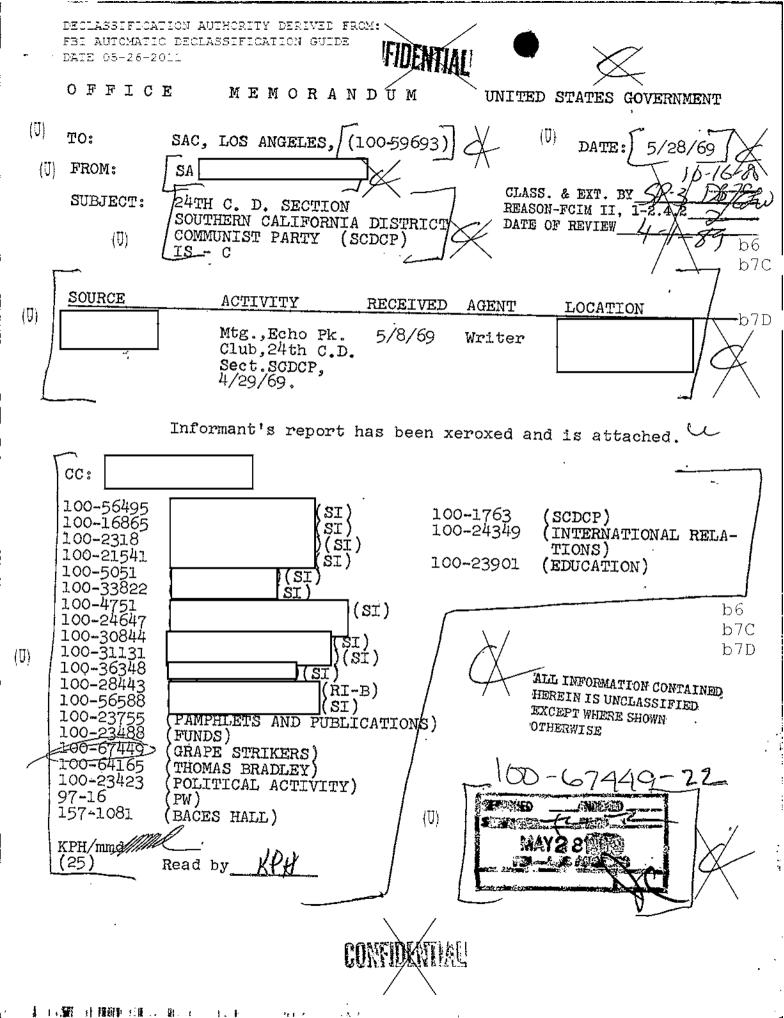
Attendance at this meeting was approximately 15 persons.

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Next meeting of Committee of 100 will be on 4/29/69.

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	with beaded headband, squaw boots ect. She lives with two other girls in b7C
	a pad made from a converted garage on in Costa Mesa. She mailed
(U)	out 75 copies of the meeting announcement.
	Only her guest, a boy about 20 from a resistance santuary in Pasadena,
	a girl from the Peace Center and a hippie tag a long from Pasadena were
(0)	there for the meeting.
	The Peace Center is being kept open on a volenteer basis. Anelderly
	man was relieved on the desk by Costa
	Mesa.Ph. He is a former member of the Peace and Freedom party,
<b>(</b> ∏	and a friend of b6
, -	A dropped in to see about the Safeway
	grape leafletting on May 10th. All Safeway Stores are to be picketted.
•	was not there stayed awhile and went away.
	The younger group talked about their experience with resistance
	groups, acomplished nothing. They are thinking along organizing High School
(U)	resistance groups. They finally drifted away.
	showed up a little after nine and talked to for about
	an hour about getting a group togather to support the Negros and hold
	the group togather. They are looking for a binding agent. Earlier this b6
	evening went to a small meeting at home in Huntington
(U	Beach.
	The word is out that and are out on their
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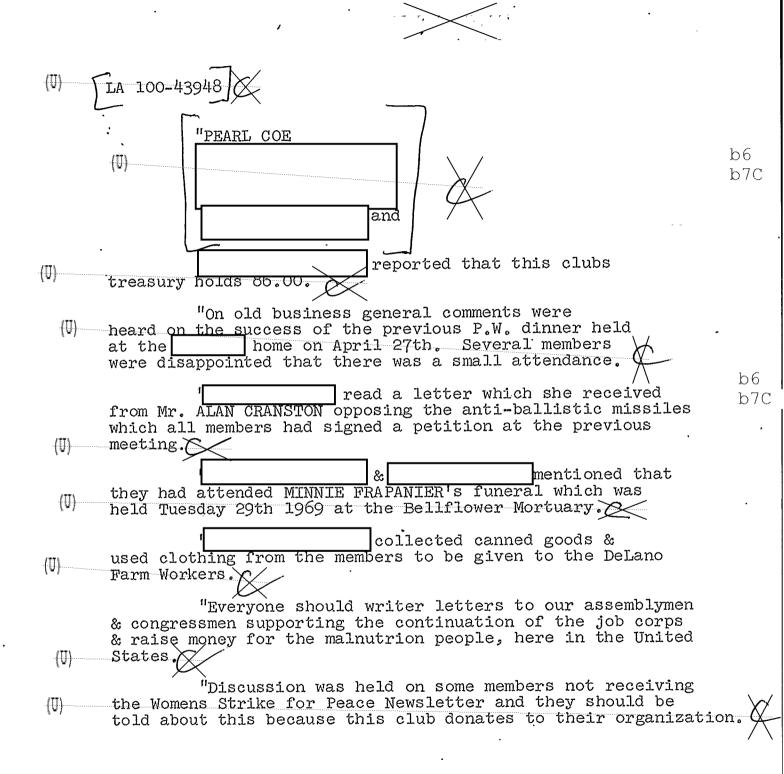
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"Friends & Parents & everyone should also write to Washington personal in regard to having legislation to liberized the sex education, mainly on the good health problems & education concerning V.D. dilments & serious life illness even for the coming generations.

"General discussion was held on the (U) colleges riots andmen objecting to serving in the military services.

( $\mathbb{U}$ ) "Meeting was adjourned at 5:30 P.M.'

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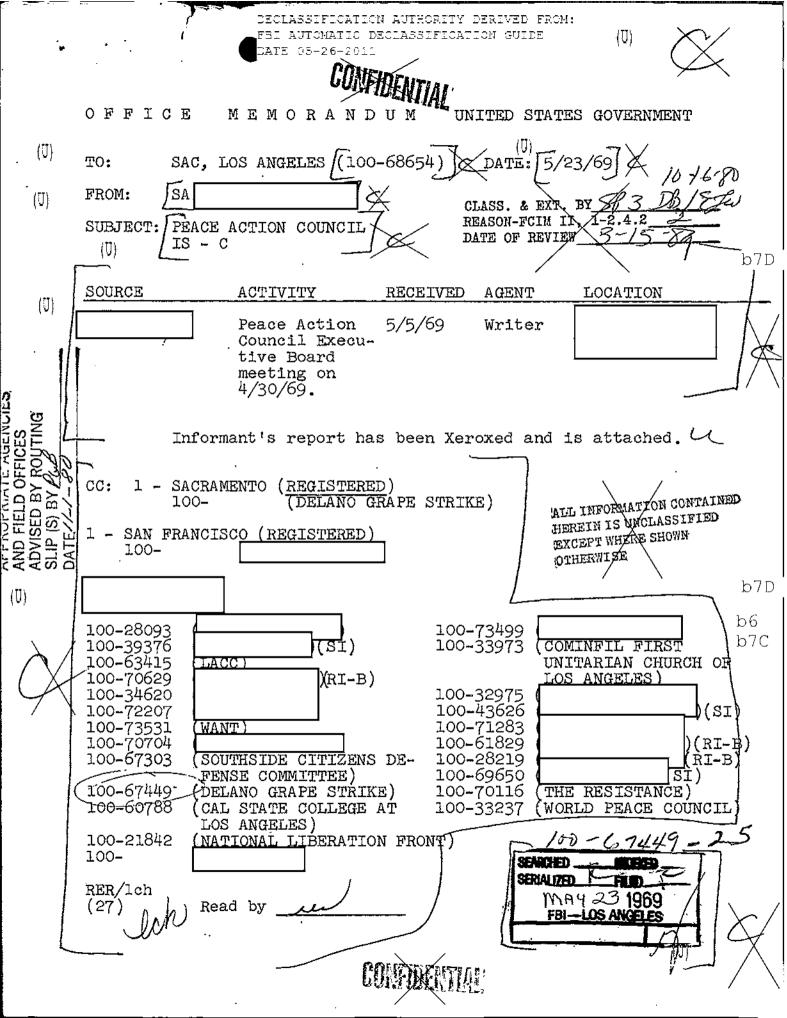
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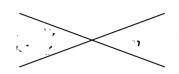
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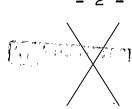
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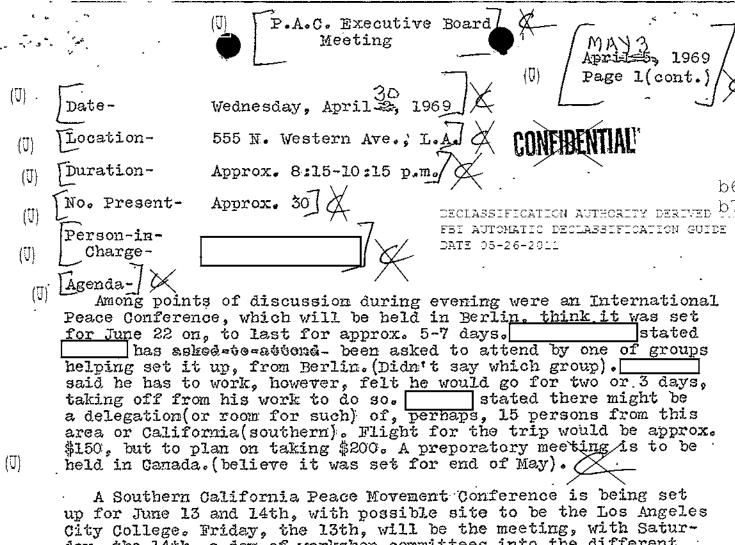
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day, the 14th, a day of workshop committees into the different fields to be discussed and ideas to come out of. Points of the conference to be worked on will be the Vietnam War(how to bring about a pull-out, thus ending the war; the military machine which will include the draft, rights of servicemen to speak out against the war thus reaching into the services, itself; oppression of the black and minority peoples (racism); economy of the U.S.; solidarity of Latin American, mid-East, and European countries unifying against capitalism and imperialism; the atomic bomb and anti-missile, spenditures and dangers they create, are among some of issues to be reached during conference. Morris Kight suggested they might think about the germ warfare and nerve gases being produced, in U.S., and create a workshop on this. Leaflets were to be placed on seats, at the Judy Collins show, which was to be held at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium, in Santa Monica, Friday evening, April 4th, at the 8:30 and 11:30 p.m. shows, to give a program and setup of this coming conference and, perhaps, one in Berlin coming up. Volunteers for leafletting and ushers was asked for.

The Pete Seeger Concert, set for Greek Theatre on May 18, was announced again for tickets to be obtained from P.A.C. or any of participating groups. Irving stated the reception, afterwards, will be held in the house next door to the Greek Theatre for convenience.

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read a press release concerning the court-martial b6
of Airman First Class of Norton Air Force Base in b7C
San Bernardino. (see the Free Press, May 2-9 edition, for full

(U) P.A.C. Executive Board Meeting(cont.) Page 2. (cont.) contents, titled Peace Groups Aid Dissident GI in Trial, page 6. Martin Hall stated he felt the GI's should be helped as they were helping in a necessary fight, and if his group couldn't help he/ would take money from his own pocket to do so, if necessary.  $\{U\}$ Announcement of the Women in Action For New Times, W.A.N.T., walk at L.A. County Art Museum, 5905 Wilshire Blvd., 1 p.m. and rally at 2:30 p.m., Mother's Day, Sunday May 11, was urged. Leaflets were (U) passed to each present who desired one. made an announcement on the Southside Citizens Defense Committee Meeting to be held Sat., May 3, at 2 p.m. at 1877 W. Adams Blvd., L.A. This committee has formed to defend who were said to be attacked by the hack and his brother announced the trial will be held on May 7, police in their home. Div. 100, at Hall of Justice, 9 a.m. He, further, announced for persons present to take back to their groups, to be ready for an unnannounced action demo. call, should not be found innocent. Everything now depends on outcome of trial as to this further action. (See leaflet passed for further info.) Delano grape workers picket, May 10, at all Safeway stores nationwide was mentioned. Irving stated the graper workers will be holding this, they wanted to do it alone, but P.A.C. cam help if more pickets passed out cards are needed and they ask for their help. to each present, for willingness to help in the boycott. (12 noon and 6 p.m.). (See card passed for such). Table leaflet was placed for each present, titled, "What's Ahead for Latin America", (American Friends Service Committee) This is scheduled for a conference, to be held Saturday, May 10, 1969 from 9 a.m. b7C (U) to 5:30 p.m. at California State College at L.A. in Trident Hall, 5151 State College Drive. (see yellow pamphlet for cost and info.) (see as marked) 🤇 GI newspaper "About Face" was passed by Unknown Hungarian gentleman, who is involved in peace movement, there, spoke for a few minutes on what is happening in Hungary among (U) the students and others, in their fight for peace. announced that, sometime near last week in May, two men from Japan and Okinawa, will be arriving in the U.S. to begin a speaking tour of U.S. cities on the Vietnam War on the peace talks and reasons they aren't be reached through imperialism and capitalistic forces hindering them. They were to talk to the National Liberation Front and South Vietnam political persons and will speak on their interviews. (because of unusual, long names, couldn't catch names). at first, it was thought to try to get them to speak at the conference, June 13 and 14, but don't know what their schedule is, however, said he thought he might be able to find out and get them to b6 speak. stated this Peace Action is growing and said he felt that very soon it would be THE LARGEST in the U.S. contrary to what right wingers and newspapers say as to it being a minority group. (U)

(U) P.A.C. Executive Board Meeting CONFIDENTIAL (U)
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Announcement on speaking at the First Unitarian Church, 2936 W. 8th St., L.A. was made. Will be at 6:30 p.m. for banquet with program and speech at 8 p.m. in auditorium. (persons (U) who desire to go should call the church, he added).

(We member of Resistance. check last name spelling. Was to leaflet with at Judy Collins show b7C Fri. evening, May 2. for Pete Seeger Concert. Irving cave him large box of leaflets)

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DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE DATE 05-26-2011 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MemorandumCONFIDENTIAL  $\mathbf{T}(\mathbb{J})$ DATE: 5/27/69 · SAC, LOS ANGELES /(100-72881) FROM[] b6 SUBJECT COMMITTEE OF 100 b7C  $\{U\}$ . LOCATION SOURCE ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT b7D 5/2/69 Writer Mtg of (U)above 4/29/69 Informant's report has been xeroxed and is attached. U ACTION: Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further. All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer. (U) INDEX: CLASS. & EXT. BY REASON-FCIM II, 1-DATE OF REVIEW bb7D CC: b7C 100-71587 100-24729 (SI) 26 100-26147 (SI) 100-19661 100-56501 (U) 100-64165 TOM BRADLEY (U) $\bigcirc 100-67449$ MERAPE STRIKÉRS 100-50095 (SI) JCO/lel Read by

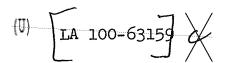
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(U)	On April 29, 1969 a meeting of the Committee of 100 met at the residence of and his wife, forterey Park, California.
(U)	Those who attended this meeting were  There were others in attendance whose identity was unknown.
(U)	It was stated that there have recently appeared articles in a paper in the east Los Angeles area that have offended the City Council of Monterey Park; this being a Spanish newspaper It was urged that everyone protest to the Council and send letters to the newspapers protesting the action of the council.
. · (U)	Bradley, candidate for Mayor of Los Angeles, and told him that the Committee of 100 was supporting him in his effort for the Mayors seat. However, he also told him that he expected Bradley to support the Junior College Board candidates that would be backed by the Committee of 100, mostly Mexican-American candidates.
(U)	On either 5/3/ or 5/10 there will be a picket line outside the Safeway Store, and from 12 noon to 6:00 pm asking all customers to boycott the garpes being harvested by those vineyards in the north, and to support the grape strikers. It was also stated that the strikers are now in need of funds, money was collected and given to then wrote a check for \$100.00





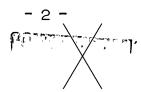
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Source advised that literature passed out included a duplicated letter from CESAR E. CHAVEZ, of the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, Delano, California; a leaflet soliciting funds for the Committee For Latin-American Solidarity, 555 North Western Avenue, Los Angeles; and Volume 14, Number 4 of "News and Letters", issued of

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DISCUSSIONS UNLIMITED .... May 9, 1969. John Burroughs Jr: High School Sixth St. and McCadden Place, Los Angeles, Cal.

"VIOLENCE" .. Who uses it? .. Why is it used? .. Where does it Subject: came fram?

Speakers:

Substituted for who could not be there.)

Chairman of Discussions Unlimited called the meeting to Order about 8:15. Opening remarks concerned the following: Discussing Unlimited had been dormant for two years and was resuming to-night... welcomed the support of those present which is estimated to be The permit issued for use of the building by the L.A. Board : of Education required there be no smoking in the building and that he announce the board neither approves or disapproves of what would be said.

The Los Angeles City Schools are not sponsoring the event. pointed out that D.U. is a non-profit educational organizion

under the California Tax Exemption and the Federal Tax Exemption code. The soul puppose of the D.U. program is to discuss issues and events of vital importance, presenting all sides. D.U. is not an action organization nor does it take action. Referring to the 3"x5" cards handed out @ the door, he explained those wishing to get on the mailing list could fill out the side provided for this purpose and the blank side is for written questions to be collected for the question and answer part of the program after the speakers had concluded their remarks. The ground rules are that applause is permitted where those present agree with the speaker, but the speakers are to be allowed to speak and be heard without any interruptions. (

The subject to-night is controversial and much in the thoughts of all. The speakers are gell qualified and the chairman of the evening has practiced law in this area for 25 years with the Erade Unions, worked with Black people against Jim Crow Unions for equal rights. presented clients against the Smith Act and the Neson case among many others. He worked to establish the rule that reports of the government

(U) were to be given to the defense attorneys of those charged in the courts dnd has made many contributions to human betterment.

: First, he hoped it didn't get back to the school board that many out there stumbled over the words in the flag salute when they came to "indivisable" ... (laughter) ... adding that he wouldn't tell if they don't. b6

said we are here to discuss violence in the political era. We speak to-day of violence like syphilis was discussed the the Victorian era. Violence is the foundation of the political order to-day. The order of the State is established in rules of our society...rules carried out by force and threat of force.. If you can't go to war, you go to jail. Pay court judgement or your property is seized and sold to pay off your debt. The price fixing laws...the power of arrest and jail. The policeman with a gun on his hip and a club in his hand is

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the personification of the manner I discribed minutes ago. A policeman I used know in Indio said we were guys with a difference...the difference was that he (□) had a gun. ( Armed police are here to use force. The man with the difference performs by means short of jail. The man in the ghetto knows what it is to be rousted, Hustled, beaten. ... and the methods of intimidation and fear ... and to be threatened again. Violence is a relevent thing expressed/many forms. What has man offered my generation? In the 30's we remember the poverty, the violence. There were mass evacuations in New York City. The people were hungry and had no jobs. Rfought police and carried their beds and tables backkinto apartments. Violence was their defense..the violence was the unemployed who cried out.. "we can't feed our families". We took over buildings in those days. Iv'e sat in many. Police came in and sat on us, threw us outdoors. There is a bill in Sacremento to-day to prohibit pickets to protect the legisla-We went to Spain and picked up guns to defend what the peoplle had earned It was just as necessary as that violence against them, necessary for survival. ( The struggle remains and the struggle is the violence...the violence that is defensive..not desired by people...but imposed upon them. Blacks, Browns, Vietnamese. You saw the article in the New York Times last Tuesday...the brothers demonstrated and sat in....white liberals knew they needed Puerto Ricons. There is only one language the "man" understood....some call him PIGI The "man" and his spokesman berate school administrators for not having spines enough... Those apostles of peace continue their violence in Vietnam. This kind of NOT HEARING...This is what forces people to fall back on violence. Force... and nothing happens. A fine piece in the L.A. Times after the Carver principal had worked out plans for what was needed for the Black kids and couldn't get it down town. East side Chicanos asking for Spanish teachers...same manner..same answer....no money. After confrontation and violence, money was found! People advocating fundamental change can't be heard..then this becomes the stopping of the democratic process. Demonstrations lead to confrontations. Confrontations  $\{U\}$ lead to force like we witnessed on Jane 23rd. Many say we have a revolution going in the U. S....I'm not ready to accept this yet. Revolution brings on more repression. We must enlighten people to the leverage of power...not waste it in confrontations against those with power. The important question is the use..or role of violence in our conduct. , organizer for the Farm Workers in the San Our first speaker is Juay quin Valley...the weather is hot and the terms are deeply entrenched in b6 one of the largest group of Americans deprived of their fundamental rights. Jerry and I are old classmates...we both attended Amberst College..only I left b7C 32 years before Jerry. (something was said bere about President Nixon's Amherst letters...?)  $\{\Pi\}$ 

Said he represents the Farm Workers movement which they are doing

in a non-volent way. The movement is growing fast nationally and the boycott

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(U)	Is gaining nationwide support.  a grower in Fresno and a group of church people and young people want to make our image one of violence. Besar asked him to come forth with evidenceyou all picked up a copy of the letter from Cesar to (enclosure)	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Time accomplishes for poor what money does for the rith. We have become accustomed to the violence perpetuated by police who hold the power. Scabs from Mexico are not from Mexico but are thugs imported to threaten us. Cesar has to point out if we define ourselves in a military way in military terms, such wanted means would annihilate us. The Star think Co. in Texas Rio Grande, Taranchelas, red nacks, and the Texas Rangers. When we struck there and the Texas Rangers came to took over town, beat up ministers. June 1967 a man named Demos was hungry, he got a Cha Cha Cochis bird (?) out of season. Gaptain begat to destroy the evidence by eating the bird. He was beaten and received a ruptured be spleen and fractured skull from the shot guns. Cesar went down, people were mad. People are good in Texas, there was a total news blackout. Cesar did not know how to handle the situation. People wanted to fight the Texas RangersThe Texas Rangers were armed, the people were not. Cesar tried to talk about the value of human life. Some had to be shown. The Ringold Hotel where the Rangers stayed and went to the Catfish Saloon to drink at the same time each day. Some poeple noticed this. Cesar had to demoibilize the Rangers or dressed women in Black and they gathered in fromt of the Saloon and prayed for the Ranger's Souts.  These situations are where you have to be creative enough as a matter of survival. We've had people cross picket lines, back of police stations there are police with gas masks, clubs, not very sophisicated men and they would use force against us (like in Chicago). The boycott is most effective unarmed tool. The police are the most immediate threat of violence.	6
	The Gahamia Vinyard like 15,000 acresfruit farm and Mexican farm workers.  (Writer's note - above name may not be corred, sounded like Gamar) Grower has had many workers beaten up and gone. The people have no toilets, they are sprayed out in fields with pesticides. Growers see farm workers as tools. The fight is	
(U)	not about wages, when time comes toand it will comethis year I think. I can only speak in violence and non violence in our narrow arena accross country in picket lines. They, the good people get arrested. Pres. Nixon, Murphy, Gov. Reagan whittle away at non violent demonstrationsthe law won't be inforced. Murphy introduced a consumers right law which will move us from non-violence to violence. Our non violent acts are not going to work. People won't follow—non-violent waythey (Reagan, Nixon, Murphy) ask for violence because they think they can beat us.	,
(U)	Chairman took over at this point and said that MXNX had committed himself to come but he is trying a case and the jury is out. The judge committed him to stay in San Francisco. Of the Committee for Labin American Solidarity (see enclosure) is an old student of violence from the American Lincoln Brigade in Spain	
·	made following general remarks: I'm in a hell of a spot with a group of attorneys and here as a substitute for take with trepidation because he is a courageous attorney righting for the G.I.s at the Persidiothis should give us a more significant idea of what goes on to-day. A young lawyer committed to defend those who fight against organized violence, against violence at home and abroad. These groups of legal shields	
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protecting them, legal powers and the "powers thin be"...the establishment. U. S.

Marines from Tampico Mexico to the Dominican Republican...from years ago. The balance of terror has so far prevented the use of the ultimate violence.

Violence is the center of our social order.

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Algeria, Congo, Ghana must commit ourselves to a common meeting ground, our concentr of it's use to bring about fundamental social changes. Violence has played a vital part in the shifting of power over hundreds of years. Man with an army comes into power by the use of naked force. Were familiar with English history ...each king succeeded to power through the use of force and would lose his power to another by the use of force. /The french revolution(Voltaire)... the world was introduced to democratic Rexm force....the process of to-day.People exercising the basic idea of electing people. People are elected or thrown out by majority vote. The violence is only justifiable when the democratic process is cut off. People no longer are free....this was what happened to the Czar in 1917. During the reign of Hitler, the dictatorship of Brazil, the political opponents were jailed. People were governed by decree. Another aspect of what is apparent to us to-day. Our government has the outward drappings of the democratic processes...the political campaigns, the elections. Can we say thesewho wants dundamental changes find it easy to be heard? Black people wanted the right to be able to equally take part in the democratic process in the 30's. It has literally been 30 years before we could discuss this on terms of equality. To-day the Black and Brown man is arrested, charged with murders. We will defend ourselves is what the Black Panthers said. The defense of the people of Black and Brown (II) by campus raticals, draft resistors brought violence on them.

The Huey Newtons...Chicago...make it apparent we are on the verge of another wave of violence which will come from the "man". The indictments are being prepared for leaders of SDS, Black Panthers, Chicanos. Ask the question...what are the BSU Black Panthers, Resisters fighting for? Guarantee they have a strong massive movement in defense of them to minimize the violence.

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made following general statements: I feel very humble and am treme ously impressed with the speakers here to-night. I'd like to say a few things



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	took away What I wanted to say (laughter) I don't care, it should
*1	be repeated. I don't know what they mean by violenceor what others mean.
	Huey Newton said to tell the Brothers you can't fight racism with racismyou
	can't fight captilism with captilism, you can only fight captilism with SOCIALISM
	(great applause)A young man so articulate at 23 years of age is sitting
	in jail. Huey Newton formed the Black Panther Party for Defense. Black Panthers
/TŤs	never strikes unless provoked, a black panther never attacks unless provoked.
(U)	This is why the Black Panthers chose this name.
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	Huey Newton, and Eldridge Cleaver are the symbol of
	self defense, the symbol of protest of men and women against racism degredation
	from people in Oakland. When the police stop brothers and sisters they stand 10
	feet away with guns. "You don't have to say anything"they tell the brothers and
	sisters"Ask if you are under arrest, don't fight arrestwe'll be there to
	bail you out." Does this sound like an unreasonable thing, they just give good
	sound legal advice and it took the Oakland police apart. They became nervous and
	began studying Huey Newton who was then going to law school. They mak made a list
	of all Black Panthers's cars. At the time Heey Newton was arrested, xixhe they had
•	a list of 20 Black Panthers cars. (This was when Newton was arrested for shooting
	a policeman.) The police were stopping every car, going through the checking
	game, going over each car thoroughly and giving tickets. One time Huey got a
	"late" 1947 Ford (laughter)took it to several garages and told them to go through
-	the vehicle code and correct and check any and everything. He put on new bulbs,
	polished and washed the windows with the best enzyme cleaners, checked brakes,
	ktook out drums and turnedthe Black Panthers spent \$50-\$70 at 7 different
	garages. They proceeded out to patrol one night and got stopped 16 times. The
<b>U</b> }	16th time Huey got a ticket because the real license plate rattled when the car's
· f	motor was run a high speed.
=	We fought Facism in Spain, Nazi Germany, Italy, Japanwe Americans pride our-
-	selves in our history written in blood and hate and harrassment. We permit Black
	people and Brown brothers to live in a state of Nazism, terrany and harassment.
	When we talk about law and order and violencewe mean violence against Blacks,
(11)	Brown, Red brother
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	family was in County Cork Ireland for two or three generations.
	I am a first generation American. Long before my parents decided to find the
	land of freedom, the land was poisoned by the poisoners. I don't find it a land
	of freedombut a land that has been poisoned, and not by DDT. It is a land of
	terror and terrany, yet when we have an opportunity to talk to 12 men and women
	who can free themselves from prejudices handed down by their fathers and their father
U)	before them.
	There is no longer peacefully sitting in at lunch counters or presidents offices.
	This is where we sit and I will not take any substitute. The Black Panthers, the
	Third World, white radicals have formed a coolition not seeking violence but
	WILL MEET VIOLENCE WITH POWER. Now one of the most beautiful human beings I
	have ever known is sitting in his cell in Passo Robles Huey Newton. He does
	not ask for freedom for himself, but for Blacks, Brown, Reds, all peoples. When
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gun, club, gas mask, striking out at people who all they want is real freedom

and the right to have no rats for neighbors.

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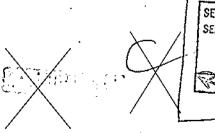
seems to have been the result of these efforts. Note

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pril 30, 195 DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE DATE 05-26-2011 (U)stated to that he was going to organize a group, for the purpose of burning the Safeway stores in East Los Angeles on May 9, 1969. -- (IJ) Reople involved: (IDF) (IDF) (IDF) On Wednesday April 30. 1969 at approximately 1900 hrs. arr were standing in front of lved at stated that he was trying to organize a group of men the office. for the purpose of causing damage to the Safeway stores. \_\_\_\_\_stated that the "grape boycott people" were going to picket all the Sefeway stores in East Los Angeles on May 10,1969 and that he was going to break windows and throw molotov cocktails on May 9,1969. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_stated that \_\_\_\_\_\_(last name unknown) from the La Vida Nueva - was going to organize the black people. if he would go along with him. Richard DIAZ asked stated that he would be willing to do it. \_\_\_\_\_ stated that the get away car would be parked two blocks from the store, (unknown what store). that he needed some money in a hurry and then stated to stated that he had a "connection" and he would do anything for it. \_\_ Istated that he would let us know more we could each make #300.00. about it in a few days b7C then went inside the office and stated to what that he stated to he had planned for May 9, 1969. should be careful who he talks to because he might get involved in a conspiracy. (U)

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	DAIL 35-26-2011
(U)	OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT  CONFIDENTIAL (J)  TO: (U) SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-26200) DATE: 6/6/69  FROM: SA ROBERT H. CLAUDIUS  SUBJECT: MAY DAY COMMITTEE  IS - C  CLASS. & EXT. BY  REASON - FCI'I  DATE OF REVIEW
(U)	SOURCE ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT LOCATION b7C b7D bration sponsored by on 5/1/69.
(IJ)	Source is not personally contacted by Agent personnel, but is an operative of All problems of identity, therefore, must be resolved through contact with Report has been Xeroxed and is attached.  ACTION:  All necessary action in connection with this memo
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Another point that he brought out was that on May 10, which Cesar Chavez has stated is the international boycott day against the Safeway stores, being that Safeway is carrying the grapes which is in violation of the United Farm Workers plea. All strikers from the Herald-Examiner are going to help boycott the stores, they're going to be pulled off the line. We were ungest by Fight Kushner to by all means support the boycott.

Flo Kushner MC'd the meeting. Another thing is that throughout the program, \_\_\_\_\_\_ a baritone, was singing folk songs and songs of the struggle to the comrades. R/,

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The other speaker at the meeting was Hugh DeLacy, the former Congressman from the state of Washington. Source will say he spoke on political matters and it was a very boring speech.

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made the pitch for money. Incidently,

announced that he has a new job; he did not identify the job.

There was a card filled out by Source for the United Farm Workers of California and her mailing address and the phone number was given to receive information through the mail as to what is going to happen at the Safeway Stores on May 10th, the day of the international boycott.

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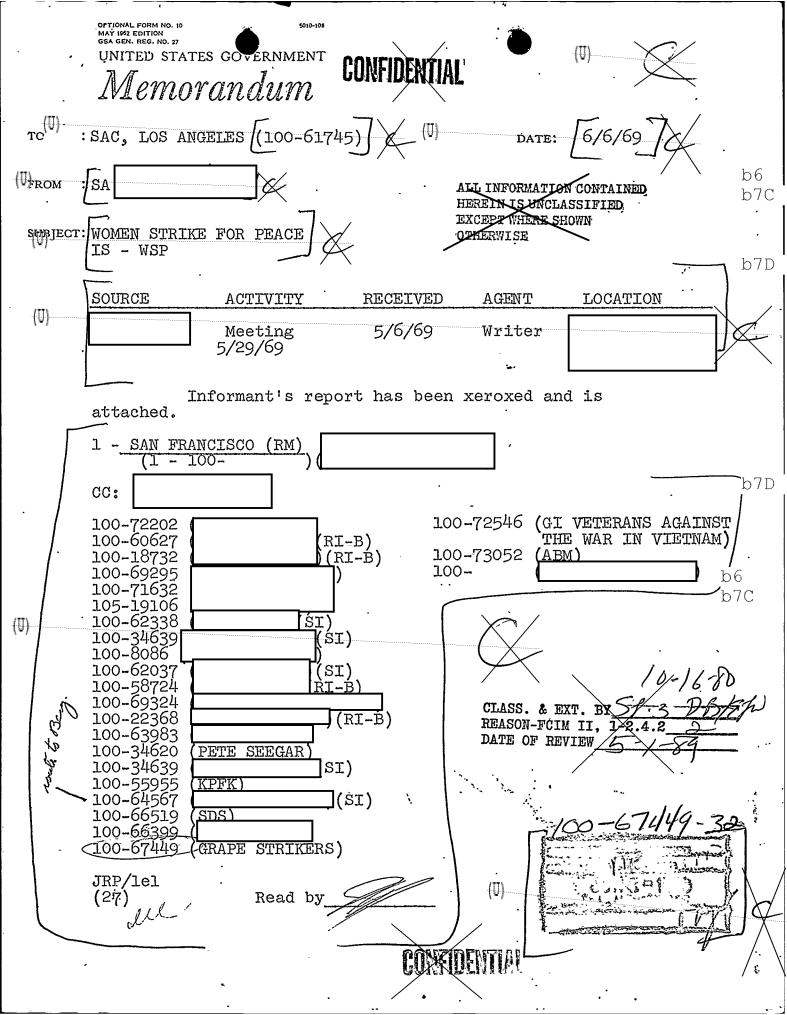
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	and subjects known to me as    (auto plate #   &	_b6 _b7C
(U)	"There was very little activity. There was a discussion about the Grape Boycot picket at the safeway store in Morro Bay between 11:AM & 1:00 PM Saterday 10 May. This was a joint effort of T.W.L.F. and the Cal Poly Mexican American organization 'UMAS' (sp unknown).  was on that picket line. He stated. The group was interviewed on the Picket line by the Morro Bay Bullitain.	h.c
(U)	"The Other topic discussed was the ethnic studies program at Cal Poly. There had been a meeting with this past week but they stated nothing was accomplish because wasn't present. The T.W.L.F. meeting broke up at 10:00 PM.	b6 b7C ed
	ACTION:	
,	Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.	
	All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.	b6
(U)	INDEX:	b7C



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PAGE No. | TYPE OF REPORT BOOKING NUMBER QUAN. ENTELLERY Discussion and Limin edicht Will SERIAL NUMBERS PLAYING WITH REVOLUTION. WAS THE NEXT SPORKER AND DISCUSSED THEBTO PRAPE BOYCOTT AND VIOLENCE IN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY. HE Sain he has come to live with Violence By The Police AND PERSONS AGAINST The BOY BUTT. HE FURTHE STATED THAT ACTS OF The JOUGENMENT ARCATTEMETS TO Change The NON-WOLENT BOYCOTT INTO A WIOLENT SITUATION. SPOKE NEXT AND DISCUSSED THE PERPETRATION OF VIOLENCE BY THE GOVERNMENT. HE COMMENDED SUCH ATTORNEYS AS 15 13000 AND PROTERTORS OF THE ACTIVISTS. HE ALLEGED THAT The MIN's generally "The establishment," has Supplessed The POOR AND The People TRYING TO 1 Right The SITUATION. was The LAST SPEAKOR AND MOST OF hig Discussion was in Relation to the BLACK PANTAGE DRYANIZATION AND HURY NEWTON. HE QUOTED NEWTON AS SAYING, "YOU have TO FIGHT CAPITALISM WITH Socialism." He Pointes out That Black PANTHERS b70 WILL NOT ATTACK OR STRIKE UNLESS They ARE FIRST PROVOKED. HE STATED THAT THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY Third world Kazeration, AND White RAPINALS have Decided to Three A STAND AND ARE SAYING, This is where we simus," This Meeting was percepted AND NO PROSPERS RESULTED. . CONFIDENTIA orm 15.9 (Rev. July '65) CONTINUATION SHEET



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## ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

Information contained in this report regarding the possible trip to Cuba by persons affiliated with WSP has been placed in a letterhead memorandum by the writer on 5/9/69

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All other necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

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Los Anges, California April 2 1969

On April 26, 1969, the Los Angeles area Women Strike for Peace held a Council meeting at the Los Angeles Headquarters located at 5899 W. Pico Blvd. Los Angeles 90019 from 8:30-10:30 P.M. The office was observed from 8:00-10:45 P.M. approximately.

(0)There were 16 women attending the meeting, among whom were the following: [

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Council Meeting Agenda ( was chairman): Draft Counseling: will share the staffing of the office on

Wednesday nights between 7:00 and 9:00 P. . Senators and Representatives: Tread a list of names of Senators and Representatives who are for, against, or undecided on the issue of the ABM.

She urged everyone to write to these men. Some of the names on the list were:

> California Representatives: 28th District Bell

Edward Roybal 23rd District Senators:

Robert Griffin Mich.

> Clinton Anderson Theodore F, Stevens Alaska

George Aiken

William Spong Virginia

Hiram Fong Hawaii

Robert Packwood Oregon

The women were also urged to write about the ICBM flights over the Western United States. Pete Seegar Concert May 18, 1969:

W.S.P. is in charge of ushers and making of armbands

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Most of the women at the meeting were discouraged about the concert, because Pete Seegar will probably be on the stage less than 1 hour and the concert is The women don't billed as a Pete Seegar Concert. feel that their money is going for a concert. said that everyone should be glad to donate the money for the cause and not expect a concert. Tickets sell for \$3.50, \$4.50, & \$5.50, with student tickets 31 less across the board, and ushers paying b6 b7C full priče.🔀 there will be a picket Judy Collins' Concert May 1, 1969: of the concert. said that W.S.P. has W.S.P. Radio Program: the near future a radio program scheduled for (probably starting in May 1969) on KPFK. tentatively scheduled for Friday evenings starting at It is scheduled to run for 42 weeks and will mention events which have been supported in the past by W.S.P., activities which W.S.P. has carried out, and their relationship to the present time.  $\{U\}$ dedication of the Peace Sculpture at May 4. 1969: the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion of the Music Center. Leafletting and demonstrating were ruled out; the women decided on the suggestion of Mary Clarke which was to send a large wreath in memory of the men killed in the Vietnam war. It will be delivered in time for the dedication ceremony. The dedication is scheduled for 4:30 P.M. according to l White House Congress Children: will meet in December.  $\{ \mathbb{U} \}$ Black and Brown communities are urged to send articles about their own neighborhoods (the articles will not be edited) to a woman who wrote the Children's Bill of Rights (part of which is reproduced in the May 1969 La Wisp).  $\{U\}$ was put in charge. b6 there are two groups scheduled from W.S.P. Cuban Trip: b7C (including all of the local city groups around the United States). There will be 15 persons in each group and the groups will depart on June 18, 1969 | will be going in and July 23, 1969. The women present Telt that the groups should seek State Department approval of the Cuban The trip would be a lot cheaper if it is possible via Mexico and not Madrid or Prague, i. e. said that it will be up \$150 vs. \$800. to the groups to decide whether or not they will seek State Department approval. She seemed to insinuate that the July group would wait to see what happens to the June group if they seek approval. She seemed to think that the Mexican route would be closed without State Department approval. It may be possible that the July group will include

women who will be in Helsinki for the meeting in C

hyway; they will be in Eur e anyway and can get to Prague or Madrid very easily. a woman who was very active in W.S.P. about 6 months ago but who has dropped out, called the W.S.P. office about the Cuban trin for an and asked interested friend whom would like to go. denied that there was such a trip planned at all. and others are very suspicious of said that this point was very interesting and it will be very interesting to find out how she found out about the trip. air of suspicion hung over the meeting for the rest of the meeting. said that could have found out from SDS or two other groups which have also had separate invitations insinuated that this was very unlikely.  $(\mathbb{U})$ said that she would Helsinki June 1969: like to propose that Los Angeles W.S.P. send a woman in Seattle, Washington, \$50 towards her trip to The group present approved the measure. said that she is not sure whether or not she will be attending the Helsinki meeting in June.  $\{ \mathbb{U} \}$ will be in Los Angeles in May 1969. She will address the Centinela-South Bay on May 17, 1969 in Hawthorne and the Valley W.S.P. on May 13, 1969. brought up the point that a of Centinela-South Bay W.S.P. had been given phone numbers of several members of W.S.P., even though the policy of W.S.P. is to not give out phone numbers freely. telephone who this woman was. said that number is would be in the Los Angeles area from May 9-17, 1969. (U)reported on a recent case that G.I. Trials: came up at Forton Air Force Base in San Bernardino. She said that one airman who had participated in the Los Angeles Easter Day Peace Rally had been arrested when he returned to his base. He was allowed a phone call and called Echo Mike Coffee House. Peorle from Los Angeles flooded the base with telegrams b6 and the airman was given a very light sentence. b7C remembrance: a program will be planned  $\{U\}$ Name Sell from Washington State was mentioned. Claremont Colleges have planned 3 days of peace oriented activities for May 10, 1969 (question as to whether other 2 days are before or after the 10th). May 29, 1969: some kind of event will be planned for  $\{U\}$ the day before Memorial Day. The event will (₩) probably be scheduled at the Induction Center or at Draft Boards.  $\{U\}$ 

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May 12. 1969: there will be a pot luck supper to honor a woman who represented the British women's group at the Paris meeting early last year. The dinner will be at 7:00 P.M. at house, located at (near the W.S.P. office).

May 10, 1969: there will be a mass picket at Safeway Stores for the grape boycott.

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	OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
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	(U) FROM: SA FREDERICK J. PETERSEN
	SUBJECT: MEMBERSHIP, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN CHERWISE b71
(U)	SOURCE ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT LOCATION
(0)	Membership 6/4/69 Writer mtg, SCDCP, 5/16/69
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(U)		then gave a credentials report	concerning the delegates at
(Ū)		There were 245 delegates composed of:	
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then gave a report of Gus Hall's speech by quoting from passages therein. He said we would get copies of the speech shortly. One passage pertained to Black Liberation and that Black anti-Semitism was a phoney issue. Another was on electoral policy and the election of Black mayors and a Black Congresswomen. Another pertained to the Imperialist war policy—— that we are against the ABM, Militarism, and for complete withdrawal from Viet Nam. Another was the fight against opportunism, which we use as a self excuse, and proceeds from accomodation to capitulation.

Ben Dobbs then gave a report of the Presiding and nominating committees. He talked about the problems of the Los Angeles delegation, and intimated that the other delegations had been thoroughly briefed on what to expect from the Southern California delegation, and made sure they never got a chance to present their views. He seemed very bitter about the

then talked about or rather reported on the Chicano panel. He said he round that the grape boycott has been very successful on a national scale, and then talked about the trade unions. He then mentioned an incident at the convention which caused quite a stir. It seems was being denied the floor, whereupon he became angry and lashed out at the Black woman who was acting chairman. She had asked a White man sitting beside her about it, so asked why she had to ask her. White father about it. It seems the White man jumped up and a verbal ansued. He said finally appologized, but thought it was all part of a deliberate attack on the LA delegation.

then reported on the Black liberation panel. She gave a very good report and it seems the most important issues were self government, self determination and self defense.

Dorothy Healey then spoke about the convention in much the same tone as Ben Dobbs, intimating that the LA delegation had been rebuffed at every opportunity.

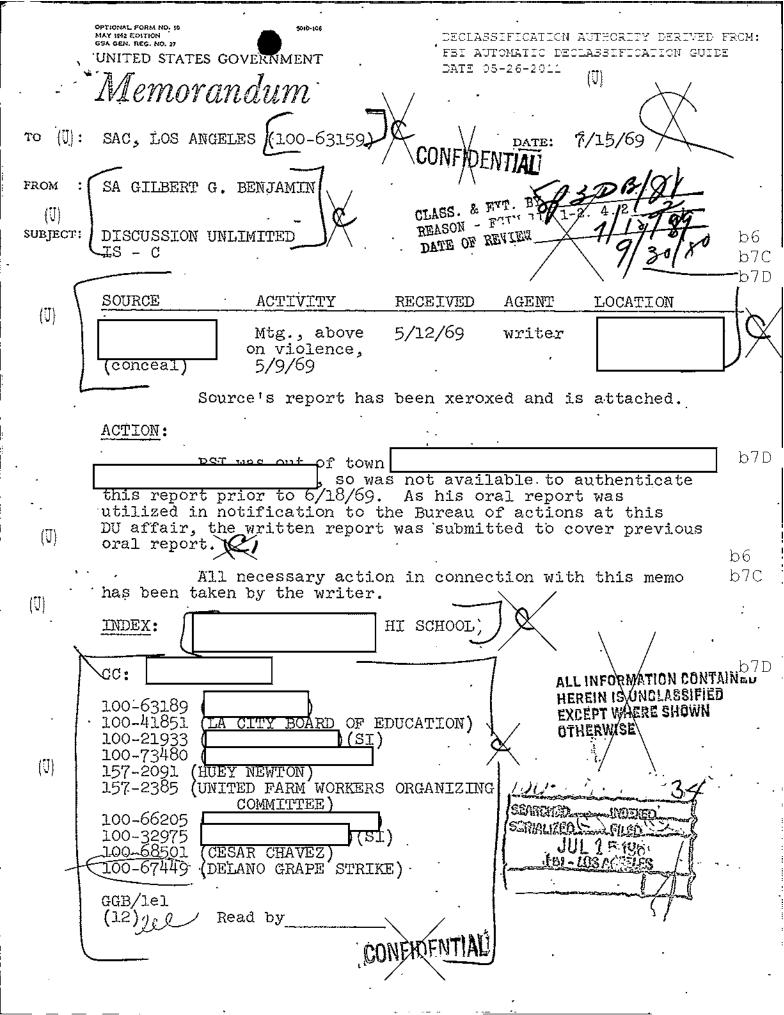
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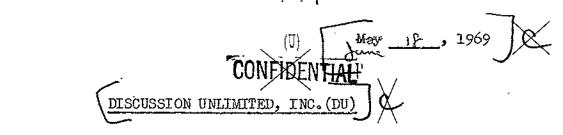
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A public meeting under the sponsorship of Discussion Unlimited, Inc.(DU) was held on Friday evening, May 9, 1969, in the school auditorium at the John Burroughs Junior High School, 600 South McCadden Place, Los Angeles, California 90005. The topic of the public forum was, "VIOLENCE:WHO USES IT? WHY IS IT USED? WHERE DOES IT COME FROM?"

	The meeting opened shortly after 8:00 PM, May 9, 1969, with DU Presi-
	dent, reading a statement prepared by the Los Angeles City bo
	Board of Education noting that the Board neither approved nor disapproved of any
	thing that might be said during the meeting. also led the flag salute,
	which is required at the opening of any public meeting in a public school in the
	city of Los Angeles. He also welcomed the people in the audience (which appeared
	to be about 300 people). He then turned the meeting over to attorney
	who acted as the chairman of the program for the rest of the evening.
	Speakers for the evening included attorney from the
	San Francisco Bay area, who told of a recent meeting he had with his client HUEY
	NEWTON (in jail). He described NEWTON as "one of the most beautiful people I've
	ever known." He talked of violence, and quoted from HUEY NEWTON, "You can't fight .
	racism with racism; and you can't fight capitalism with capitalism. You've got to
(U)	fight capitalism with socialism." CONFIDENTIAL
	general counsel for the United Farm Workers Organizing

Committee in Delano, California; also talked about violence. He told of violence from the Texas Rangers in Texas; and from the Police Department in Delano, California;

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٠	also urged those in the audience to go out the following
	weekend and join the boycott of California table grapes at the Safeway Stores
U)	throughout Southern California. CONFIDENTIAL had been announced previous to the meeting as
	a third panelist on the forum panel; however, it was explained to the audience
	at the meeting that was unable to attend, as the court in San Francisco
	area was making him stay in that area in connection with some case he was
	involved with. His place was taken by whom described
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1-1	said the "establishment" was responsible for violence. He
	told of some of the experiences he had had with violence in the past.

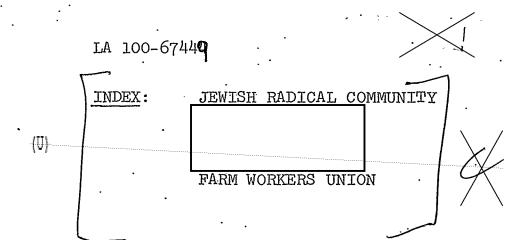
Literature available to the public included copies of the program

for the evening; cards on which names and addresses for the DU mailing list were
to-be submitted - or for questions to be submitted to the panel members; along
with a form letter about CESAR CHAVEZ and the striking grape pickers of Delano,
California.

The meeting was over prior to 10:45 PM. Admission to the affair was by ticket only, and the tickets cost \$1.50 per person. There were no announcements of dates for any future meetings of DU; but as noted above, they did solicit names and addresses to be added to the DU mailing list whereby one could be advised of any future DU events.



MAY 1052 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR)-101-11.6 DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE CONFIDENT DATE 05-26-2011 **I**emoranāum :SAC, LOS ANGELES ((100-67449) TO (J)UFROM. CLASS. & E REASON-FCIM I SUBJECT: NATIONAL FARM WORKERS DATE OF REVIEW - C b6 b7D SOURCE ACTIVITY AGENT RECEIVED LOCATION PSI 5/26/69 GRAPE BOY-Writer COTT at Gelson's Mkt, Van (U)Nuys, 5/17/69, sponsored by Jewish Radical Comm. Source's report has been xeroxed and is attached. U ACTION: All necessary action in connection to this memo has been taken by the writer b7D (REGISTERED) 1 - SACRAMENTO CC: (NATIONAL FARM 100b7C WORKERS) 100-5602 100-73394 100-7339  $\{U\}$ 100-72833 JGK/dld ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED SEARCHE) Herein is únclassified SEDIALIZED ÆXCEPT WHERE SHOUN JUN? 6 1969 OTHERWICE FBI - LOS ANGELES Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



b6 b7C Sponsoring Organization: Jewish Radical Community

Date: 17 May 1969

Time: 1000 to 1205

Place: Gelson's Market, corner of Havenhurst and Ventura

Chairman: N/A

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Persons present:

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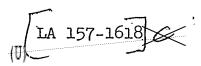
and approximately eight others, the names of whom (other than first names) I do not know.

The purpose of this demonstration was to make the community aware of Gelson's practice of selling table grapes. Table grapes sold in California are considered to be "scab" grapes (that is, picked by non-members of the Farm Workers' Union) and are, as such, an "affrontary to the Mexican Farm Workers". No incidents of particular interest were observed. The next picket of this market will be conducted Sunday,

25 May.

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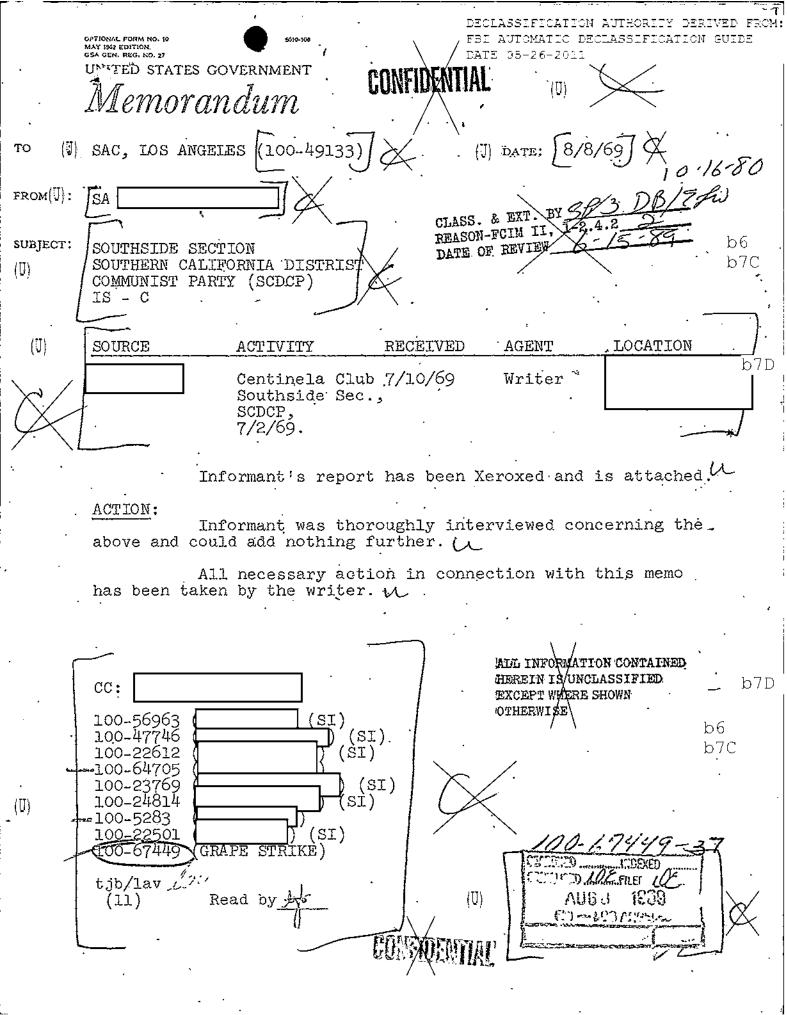
consisting ofmembers from each organization is leading the plaining. Speakers from each group will be allowed to speak, but there can be no playing. Any organization that wishes to try anything sleek, may do so at its own rish as the Panthers will be ready for it. The Long Shoremen and the grape workers will be represented.

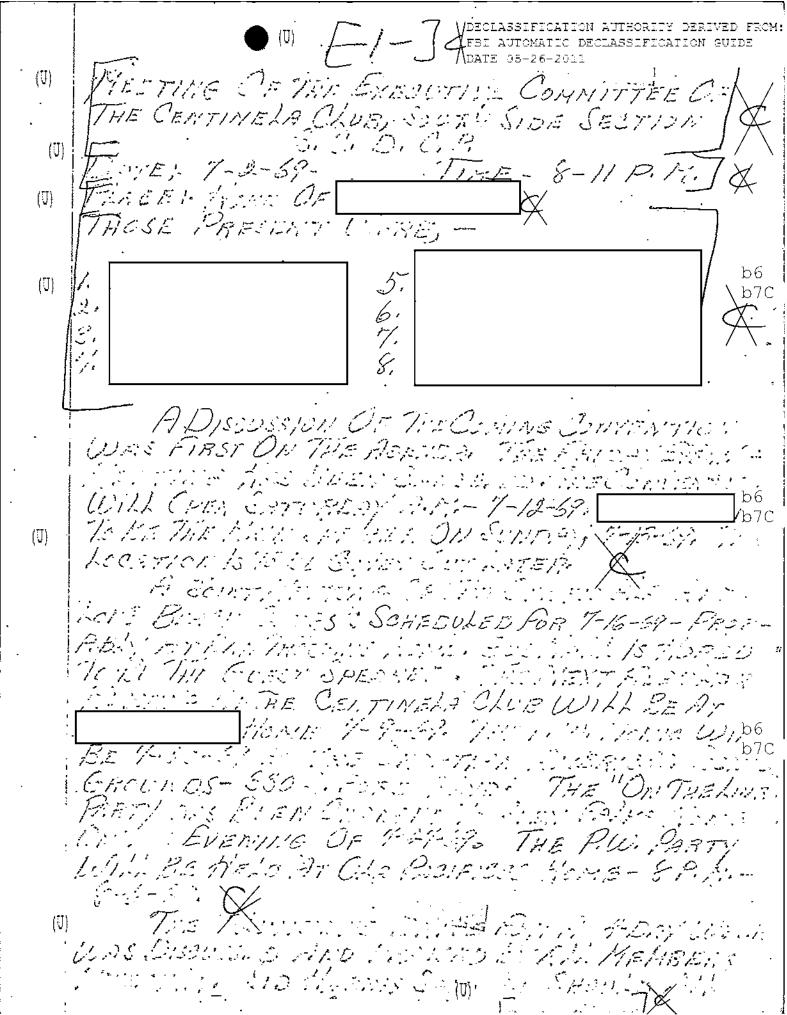
"Money is needed, according to to print more materials to accommodate other oppressed people from the Eastern and Southern parts of the US who can't otherwise afford to come and for bail. Harrasement from the pigs is expected. Any suggestions about any orginazations that should be invited will be appreciated. Whatever is adopted at the convention will be immediately put into practice by the Panther Party and it is a hope that all the others will do the same. All panthers will be put to work when they arrive. concluded with a general discussion and suggestions."

#### ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

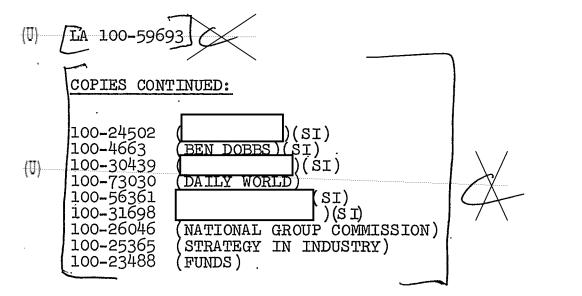




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DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OFFICE MEMORANDUM (J)SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-59693) DATE: 19/5/69 TO: from(J) SA ROBERT H. CLAUDIUS ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED SUBJECT: 24TH C. D. SECTION herein ás unclassified SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT EXCEPTWHERE SHOWN (U)COMMUNIST PARTY (SCDCP) OTHER/ISE IS - C b6 b7C LOCATION SOURCE ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT b7D  $\{U\}$ 8/22/69 Mexican IC Commission SCDCP on 8/12/69. Informant's report has been Xeroxed and is attached. CLASS. & EXT. REASON-FCIM IIX DATE OF REVIEW 1 - CHICAGO (REGISTERED) 100-24800° 2 - SAN ANTONIO (REGISTERED) 100-9774 100-9378 (U) b6 100-68501 (CESAR CHAVEZ) )(SI) 100-33054 DELANO GRAPE STRIKE) b7C 100-67449. 100-39704 SAM KUSHNER) 100-56593 100-71274 SI 100-32090 100-65645 SI) 100-56591 SI) 100-59295 MEXICAN AMERICAN POLITICAL ASSOCIATION) COPIES CONTINUED ON PAGE 2.  $\{U\}$ RHC/lch Read by

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### ACTION:

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(U) INDEX: FARM LABOR ORGANIZING COMMITTEE



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SOURCE:

ACTIVITY:

Meeting of the Mexican Commission SCD-CP dealing with:

#1 - Organizing a committee to aid the farm workers #2 - Discussion of the Mexican-American Political

#3 - Discussion regarding placing a Mexican on the

Executive Board of the SCD-CP.

Tuesday, August 12, 1969, 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight.

DATE: L.A. LOCATION: (Home of

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Admission to meeting was by being a CP member and also a member of (U)the Mexican Commission. The following people were present.

Sam KUSHNER (IDF) (IDF) (U)(IDF), Chairman (IDF), Secretary (IDF)

The meeting was opened by who stated the agenda as

follows:

First, that there be a discussion on the farm workers strike by Sam KUSHNER (IDF). Second, a discussion be held on the recent conference of the Mexican-American Political Association. Third, there be a

discussion regarding the demands that the Mexican comrades have placed to the National Office.

Sam KUSHNER spoke on the farm worker question. He related that there is developing a feeling that there a victory in the farm worker area in the veryhear future. He stated that almost every grape field is now being struck in the California area and that in Arizona there is also starting an organization called FLOC (NIF) FARM LABOR ORGANIZING One of the main things that has happened is that Cesar CHAVEZ is not confined to his bed; he is able to conduct meetings

which has raised the morale of the whole farm worker area. One of the negative things that has happened regarding the farm workers is that

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in September they are dedicating the hall that has been built in Delano and they are calling it the RUTHER HALL. This created a tremendous amount of friction between the people not only from the United Auto Workers, but from the CAO-AFL who felt that the hall should have been named after a Mexican hero instead of a labor leader.

spoke and he felt that what must be done is that there be a committee organized at once and that on Monday, August 18. 1969 a committee go down to the Grand Central Market in Los Angeles, California and meet with the Grand Central Market to withdraw their grapes from the market. If this does not take place, then there should be picketing of the Grand Central Market commencing Wednesday, August 20, 1969.

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grape strike will soon be settled, and that many CP members who were active in this strike have dropped away. The setting up of this new committee would give former CP members and left people who have dropped out of the grape strike an opportunity to once again become involved, as the leadership in this strike is now primarily Mexican. These individuals could come back into the grape strike so that when victory is declared many of these people can take their just bows and will not be left out of the victory of the grape strikers. This was moved, seconded, and carried by the Commission that this committee be set up Monday, August 18. There would be a delegation to the Grand Central Market asking the management to withdraw their grapes; if not, a picket line be established in front of the Grand Central Market on August 20,

	The second point on the agenda was to discuss the	MEXICAN-AMERICAN
	POLITICAL ASSOCIATION. (IDF) and	attended
•	the conference on Sunday, August 10, 1969 both ga	ve reports.
,	indicated that the MEXICAN-AMERICAN POLITIC	AL ASSOCIATION is <sub>b</sub> 6
	at its lowest ebb in the seven years that he has b	een a member of $i_{\text{L}}^{\text{b7C}}$
5	He stated that this organization has become a poli	tical arm for
,	and confirmed t	his, but felt that
	although it has become a political arm for these t	wo individuals
u.	to use the organization for their personal means :	to raise ; funds
•	for themselves, the CP could not let this organiza	tion go. During
<b></b> .	political campaigns it is the one and only politic	al organization
U) · ·(U)	that does exist.  The last point on the agenda:	
	indicated that he wanted to speak;	however, hefore
	he spoke indicated that he wanted to sp	<u> </u>
	stated that he met with (IDF), Ben D	
•	(IDF), and other members of the Executive Boa	
	tremendous pressures had been put on him to go one	
	the CP and serve as the Mexican representative. I	
•	feeling that the decision had been made by this Co	mmission and by the
٠	Mexican comrades that ho active Mexican comrade wh	o belongs to the b6
-	Commission would go on to the Executive Board of	the CP unless it b7C
	was a decision of the Mexican Commission.	outlined all
•	the positive things which this could represent: f	or example, there
	would be liaison between the active Mexicans and t	he Board; a voice
ē	would be on the Board which would express the Mexi	cans feelings of
· (U)	insensitivity of the SC Board and the National Off	ice on the Mexican

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then indicated that it was his feeling that this was the opportunity for the active Mexicans to make a demand on the A paid organizer throughout the southwest. (2) Thah 6 Party for: the National Office put a Mexican person on the paper the DAILY WORL Three Mexicans be sent to the Soviet Union this year to (both IDF) of Texas be visit. and reprimanded for their action at the National Convention. (5) delegates who attend the convention be sent a letter indicating to them that there had been some action taken at the Natinal Convention which was Non-Marxist on the part of the National Committee toward the Mexican comrades from Southern California. said that he had come to the crossroads of his career with the Party and that the Party has functioned at times without. a Mexican on the Executive Board and that Sam KUSHNER was on the Executive Board and there was not a total breakdown of communications; Sam is involved in Mexican work

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it would tend to disolve the positive things that are happening in the Party. There is all types of namecalling; there is a boycott of the Board. All of this is true, but it must be explained at the next District meeting that there will be the placing of no active.

Mexican on the Board until some questions are answered. If the district Board thinks they can solve the problems by placing

(IDF) or (IDF), a Spanish speaking person on the board, then it is their prerogative to do so, but as far as the active Mexicans are concerned, this is the opportunity for them to come together and stay together until some of these questions surrounding the Mexican question can be solved or at least negotiated.

Continued that he already had several calls from New York where they are willing to meet with him on some of these

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New York where they are willing to meet with him on some of these questions so that no Mexican at this time should go on the Board until there is a collective decision by the Mexican Commission.

The meeting was then adjourned.

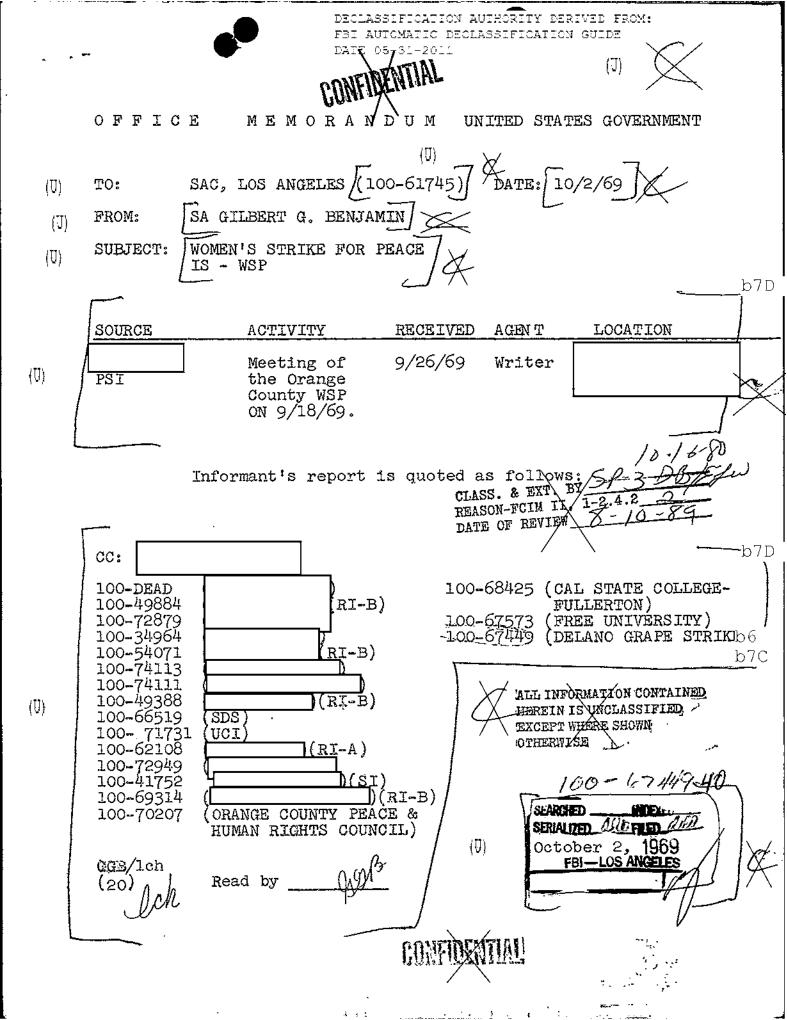
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Low Bugelow, Calif. August 5, 1969 X on Sin aug. 3rd. 1969 the So. Calif. district councities held are all day meeting at 1251 So. It aidrows pl. Lon augelea. The matting was called to order, at 939 Am and chained by Bene Dobla. The agenda Consisted of: Industrial Consistration, good & Wellfair. & Bren Dobbs stated such Industries as; & Transpotation, Electrical. aits. Steel. Bldg. Trade. Will be first in live for organizing. be done, a full time organizer should be apole Concerning tax write eff. for Bib Business puch as Grope farm owners who are being supported, the arm forces lunging tons of Grapes to help freezout strikers. stated an Industrial Concentration means a major change in our paring Policy. This

has been tried before and did not work and I am almost pure it will not work. this lines stated, there is no longer people that can stand at the Industry gotes and pass out assumment Literative inc. people's world. The Communist working in Industry can't let it be Known so as to be effective in shops, As how are you going to get workers to form conceases, organiza the unorganized and make report back to the Committees sand it is important for union 66 member to state what is being done in their. shops to see to it that the slacks are. promoted on Jobi, get upgraded when there is On opening and be reconciled in the union as a worther & dues paying person, The some as the whites. He spoke about the incident that happened at fortherd air craft, where a pregro Couldn't get hilp from the Usuous on a grievence, he became historic & Killed the Forman and a ween Rep. this is one example of monoritys bling pushed to one side with weet any Consideration.

... there were an all day discussion our Indistrict Concentration CONFIDENTIAL But Dole stated we have a fet to deyou had do we get started and culous & I lo Kushiner ack that the elubs disense the matter and see what idear can be put in use but the problem Will be, what do are discuss. & said their is need you Education in this field and with sent quidance there can be little help to the union worland Ben Dolla Omounes that a Comrade from Chicago, will be new District organizer, talling the place of Dorothy Heeley. He will be in firlugeles un a few days to make arrangement for his Genrily. there were no discussion on the amountenat. the meeting ajoined at 5 Pm. stated that was boold down at fauthers Convention in ostland and many plight remarks Concerning Communist, for this Keason they are Olding the party not to support our place. Parthers Programs. It was agreed by Committee

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(U)	Laguna Beach W.S.P. mtg - Sept. 18 - 69. 8 PM Location, Home of  Irvine, Calif,  (Known as University Park Area)	
	'Orange Co. Peace and Human Rights Center' 204½ W. 3rd Santa Ana, Ca., will have positions as draft counselors at Calif State College, Fullerton to be paid \$500 each per mo. from student funds. The vote (presumed acod. Senate) was 21 for, 1 against. Location presumed to be on campus, information later. Volunteers are needed to manage 'Peace Center,'	b6 b7C
(U) (U)	according to was present and it was learned that Prof of U.C.I. and wife () plan to purchase the ome where they have resided during the years trip in Europe discussed the new organization in Laguna Beach known as the 'Free University' stated that a recent Costa Mesa Daily Pilot (Lag Beach issue) had a good article on this.	b6 b7C
(U)	"It was stated further that the new location for activities of the 'Free Univ. would be at the place called 'The Cellar' 220 Forest Ave, Laguna Beach. It was stated that Prof of U.C.I. and four others had recently purchased 'The Cellar' for \$100,000.  was elated over the purchase saying that was too dedicated to the cause, to have been in on it as an investment. (Spec deal). It was not learned what Realtor or Escrow Co was handling this transaction.	b6 b7C

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(U)	involved in the Grape Boycott. He was getting out literature and leaflets to distribute, it was thought he did the mineographing at U.C.I. had said that the Alpha Beta was next after the 'Safeway' boycott. He claimed that Alpha Beta bought grapes with labels of Arizona growers but that the labels were fictitious. All markets cast register tapes from other markets were to be sent to the Safewary as proof of trading elsewhere. The S.D.S., Peace Center, U.C.I. the W.S.P. and others were to participate.	b6 b7C
(U)	said to use harassment as she had done. She went to the Alpha Beta market, weighed up a pound of grapes (nicest concord) ate them as she shopped, took bag containing seeds and skins to the cashier as if found, cashier placing, in wastebasket.	
(U)	the 'Blacks'. stated leaflets to be printed to distribute in the black communities to entice them to come to the Peace Center for counseling. She planned to go herself door to door point out preponderance of Blacks and Mexicans in the armed services, also Negro hang out Barborshops & record shops were to have leaflets.	
(U)	"The \$500 fund to be raised for 'superficial' front teeth braces for eligible draftees (Blk & Mex) so as to avoid the draft was discussed. Who is proficient at fund raising was to consult with on this matter. (Also find 'proper' dentist.)    held a meeting Sun eve, Sept.     14 - 69 at his home   Laguna Beach for the Unitarians with   as the speaker. His topic was	b6 b7C
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"'Areas of Friction on U.C.I. Campus. was against reguesting interest and assistance from stating 'He's a cop'! was a detective but is said to be head of the Narcotics Div. of Laguna Beach Police Dept at present. thought him a poor contact.	6 7C
had a one sheet (tabloid form) paper the 'New Mobilizer. She pointed out quotes from a July 4th meeting, (attended by 300 Peace groups) in regard to disruptions, nation wide to culminate on Nov 15 - 69 at San Francisco, Washington, D.C., & other places.	
showed a two page flyer brought to ther by This announced a special meeting on Oct 3 - 69, 8 PM at the Unitarian Church, Anaheim to discuss plans for Orange Co. S.D.S, WSP, the Army underground and all peace groups in Orange Co. Plans to have flags at half mast and agitation in Chicago over trial. Since newsman are denied at trial and Chicago Pol Dept angered over bad publicity at Dem Conv. there, the 166 b7C	
"Boycotting all business, Dept Stores etc, (Xmas Season) was preposed at W.S.P. meeting. & others want to plan a 'Newsreel Theatre' in Beach area.	
(U) "Present at this meeting:  He is a Printer Lawrence Production of the content	
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	: the above	Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning and could add nothing further.
/111		Recommend 100-DEAD file be opened on whose home this meeting was held) for purpose channelizing.
(0)	this memo	All other necessary action in connection with has been taken by the writer.
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM (U) SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-55455) TO:  $\{U\}$ FROM: (U) SIBJECT: MORANDA SMITH SECTION (MSS) SOUTHERM CALIFORNIA DISTRICT COMMUNIST PARTY (SCDCP)  $\{U\}$ IS - C SOURCE ACTIVITY (U)Cyril Briggs Club, MSS. SCDCP. 9/25/69. Informant's report is quoted as follows: "Date: 25 August 1969 Place: (U)Activity: Cyril Briggs Club meeting, Communist Party of So. Calif. District ČС: 100-44910 100-64892 100-22689 100-56560 100-26651 100-21728 100-26088 100-64130 100-33876 100-56508 (U)100-56510 SI 100-41954 100-3108 157-1618 (BPP) 100-6688 100-40412 KPH/lav Read by Kff (22)

TA 100-55455 "Present were: b6  $\{U\}$ b7C conducted as it was an educational. was the leader of the discussion on the labor movement. He gave a history of the Party in the Labor movement and how we had to consentrate on the Unions. said he was one of the organizers of the Union in the Bockheed plant and told of some of their difficulties. worked at Lockheed at this time and helped get the women organized, expecially the Black. She said that one of the women she worked with on this project belonged to the Party and it was through b6 this women she became a member of the Party. called b7C on everybody to help the Herea Strike and the grape strikers as that is one way to get the Unions to know we are backing them. is still confused as to why Unions won!t take in more did a lot of double talk on this and Black people. subject and poor is more confused than ever. members of the club who are members of Unions are was a member of the and Fertile Workers in New York, but has not kept his membership up here." (U)ACTION: Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.  $\mathcal{N}$ All necessary action in connection with this memo

has been taken by the writer.

MAY 1562 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE UNITED STATES VERNMENT DATE 05-31-2011 *1emorandum* (0): SAC, LOS ANGELES  $\sqrt{(100-59693)}$ DATE: (U)FROM CLASS. & EXT REASON-FCIM II DATE OF REVIEW subject: 24th C. D. SECTION SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT COMMUNIST PARTY (U)SOURCE ACTIVITY RECEIVED AGENT LOCATION 10/3/69 CP picket line Writer against sells of (U)grapes 9/13/69. Informant's report is quoted as follows!  $\{U\}$ "9*[*:29/69 "the Communists Party Mexican Commission has the task of conducting the Boycott of the 'United Farm Workers (U)Organizing Committee, ' (grape pickers union) against the sellers of grapes in the Los Angeles area. 157-2385 (UNITED FARM WORKERS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE) 100-56593 (SI) (U)100-65645 ·b7C 100-58645 (SI) 100-50239 b7D (SI <u> 100-67449</u> DELANO GRAPE STRIKE) 100-68871 (SI) JRC/1md (9) // // Read by SERIALIZED:/ CCT/S (J) ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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days of week at the 'Central Market' 3rd St. and Broadway; Los Angeles, California. Participants on this picket line are sympathisers of the grape pickers and some members of the Communist Party.

was asked to be in charge of the picket line on Saturday September 13, 1969. There were 8 persons present on this picket line, all of the pickets were not members or sympathesers of the Communist Party, some of the people that took turns at displaying the picket signs were sympathetic (U) Mexicans from the general public.

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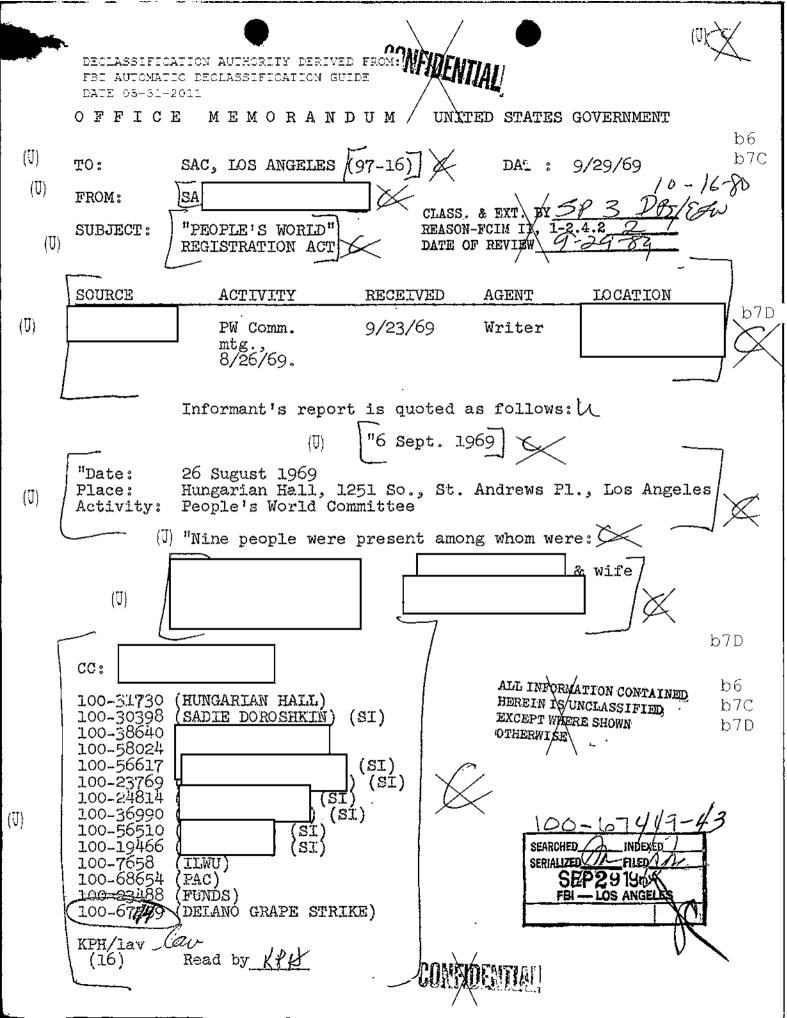
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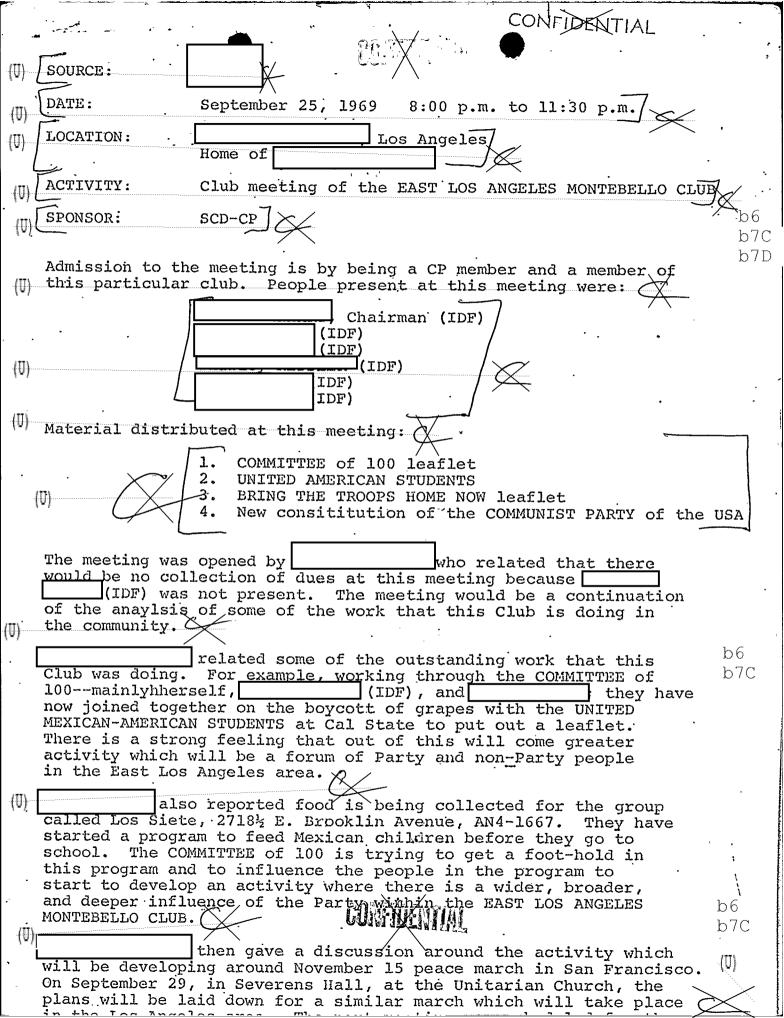
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	"Various ideas for parties to raise money for P.W.  Banquet tickets were discussed. One party is to be given for  who was unable to attend this meeting because of  illness. Another will be given for  who has served on the  committee for 10 years - he has been sick for some time. No  deffinate dates have been set. It was agreed that all clubs  should plan some kind of a party to pay for tickets that could  not be sold.	b70 b71
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, ,	"Speakers for the Banquet was discussed and	b6
	said she thought she could get a a retired official of	b70
	the ILWU to be the principal speaker. In addition, sheis to try	
	and get somebody from the Peace Action Council and the Grape Strike	ers.
	She stressed that this must be the most successful Banquet because	
	of the great need for money. She mentioned that a friend contri-	
	buted \$500.00 last week to be counted as part of the Banquet	
	contributions and if anybody else can collect such contributions	
/TT\	it would be appreciated."	
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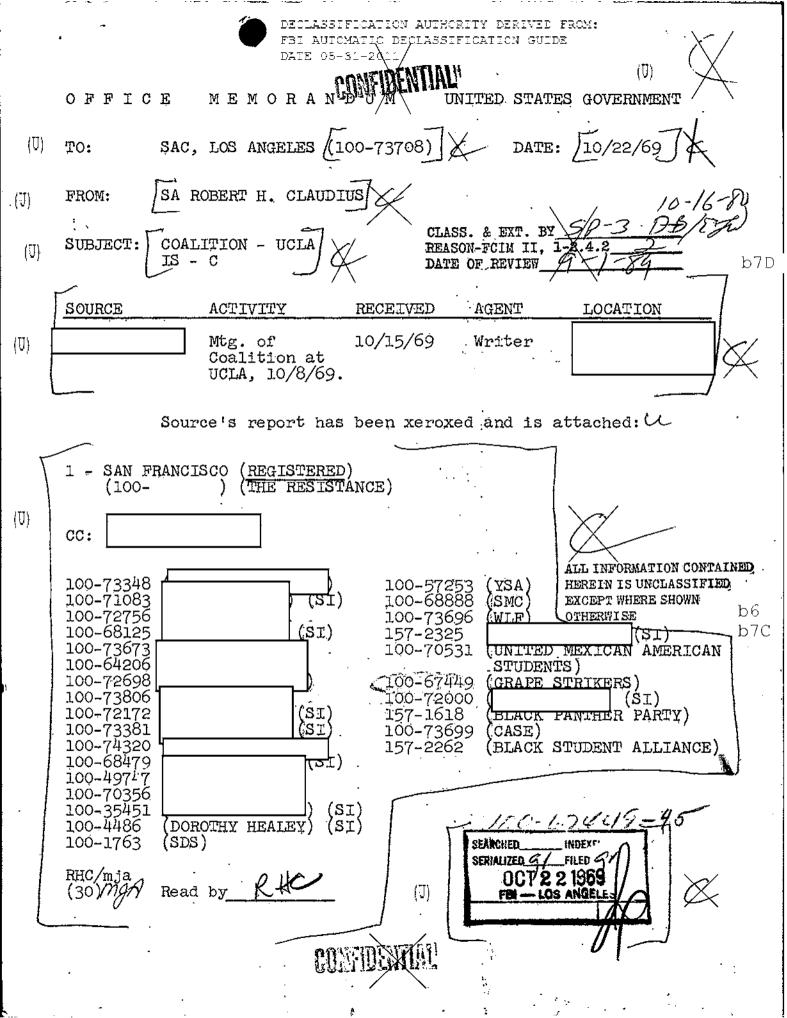
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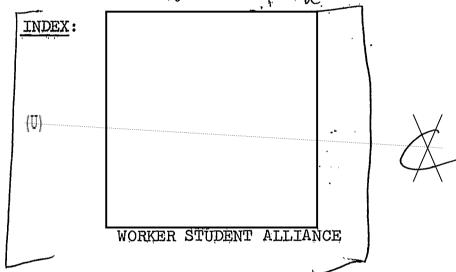


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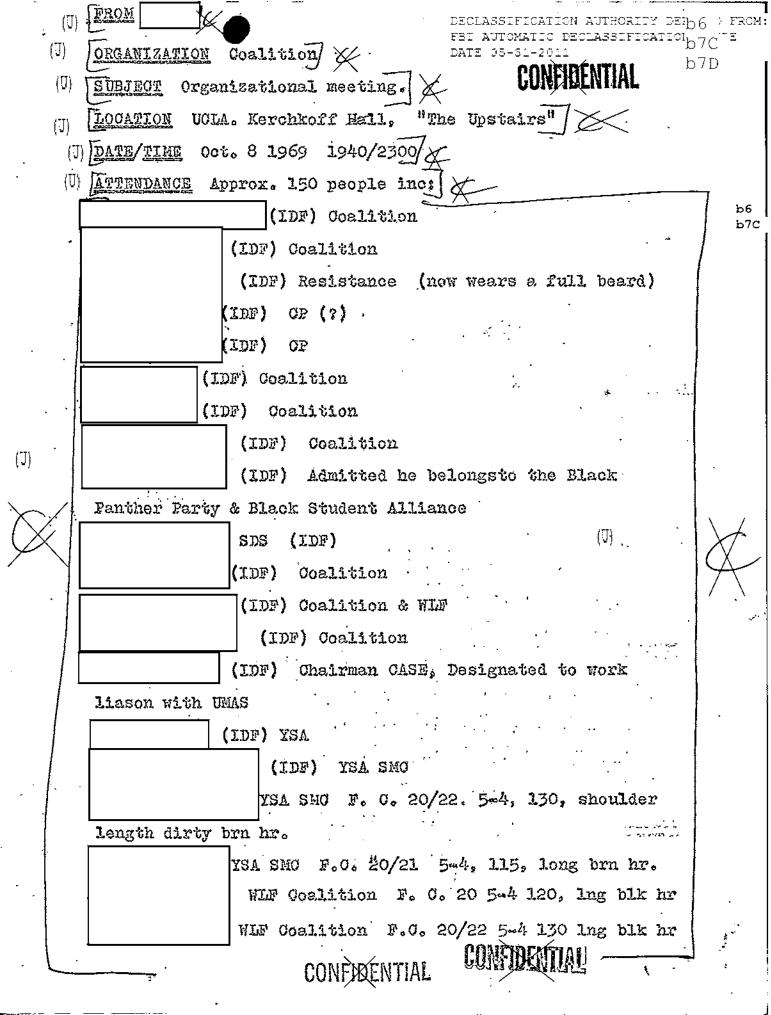
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4	of action in itings in which the member ip could attend
•	and be permitted to make suggestions and comments. The UNIVERNAL
	committee would be elected at the start of each new quarter
	and would be in charge of working and action committees
	under them. proposed the creation of an b6 b7c
	Angela Davis Committee and suggested that
•	this committee be directly be in charge of the three working
	committees already doing work on the Davis case (1.e.
	Leaflet Committee, Community Committee, and the Political
	Education Committee headed by
(II) .	passed
(0)	announced also the existence of a temporary
٠.	Negotiating Committee which was acting as lisson with the
	B.S.U. on campus in regard to the Angela Davis case. Instead
;;;.r	of electing a permanent committee, he suggested the group
	give his committee a vote of confidence which was done over
	the objections of and his friends whoeld new
U)	committee should be elected.
	reported on the current status of the Angela
	Davis class and passed out a list of ideas regarding
	the issues involved. ( A copy will be attached to this report)
	announced that a rally would be held concerning
	the issue at Royce Hall on Oct 9 at 1400 when the Academic
	Senate would be meeting. also mentioned that
	the Regents would be meeting at L.A. next week and that
	the Coalition should pay them a visit, an idea which was
(U)	welcomed with enthusiasm by the group.
	of the United Mexican American Students
	next spoke about the grapegrowers strike. He stated that
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	they discovered that the greatest single purchaser of Calif	
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•	was unable to ME fignt the Marine Corps, Army, etc. and	×
	that they needed help. He stated that they had no specific	
•	actions formulated yet but that they would be directed	
	against military installations. At this time	
	was appointed to act as Liason with UMAS for the Coalition	
U)	and notify them of future plans.	
;	The results of the election for the Steering Committee	
_	were announced. Among those elected were:	
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	and Al Hershfield.	_
•	These are members or friends of members of the elitist	
(U)	leadership group that was complained about.	
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	except for who was nominated for membership on	
Ŧ	the steering committee. declined the opportunity	
	stating he was now in the SDS and was too busy with his	•
•	activities in the Worker Student Alliance to work for the	
*,	Coalition. He debunked the Angela Davis Issue stating	b6
	that she was only one of the oppressed and that there	b7C
{U}	were 10,000 workers on the campus who were super-oppressed	
	and should be made a issue of.	
	told me on Oct. 9 that SBS would concentrate	
•	on the WSA and would make no effort to gain leadership	
	in the Coalition but instead would attempt to recruit new	
	members from the Coalition.	

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(U) -(U)	Banquet to be hald October. 12. 1969, at the Miramar Hotel in Santa Monica.  Santa Monica.  So people present at the banquet, also that the main speaker would be ANGELA DAVIS, other speakers would be from the Black Panthers, on police brutality. A 22 year old Drait resister by the name of who is also a Delano Grape Strike worker also that EARL SCALES would sing protest songs as the entertament/ She also said would give the pitch talk traise money for the peoples world, She said she already had \$650.00 collected in money and pledges. She also stated that had sold Sixteen tickets for the Banquet and had called for more tickets.  "The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 o'clocks and meeting will be held tuesday, October, 21, 1969 at the Hungar Hall."	nia in- o
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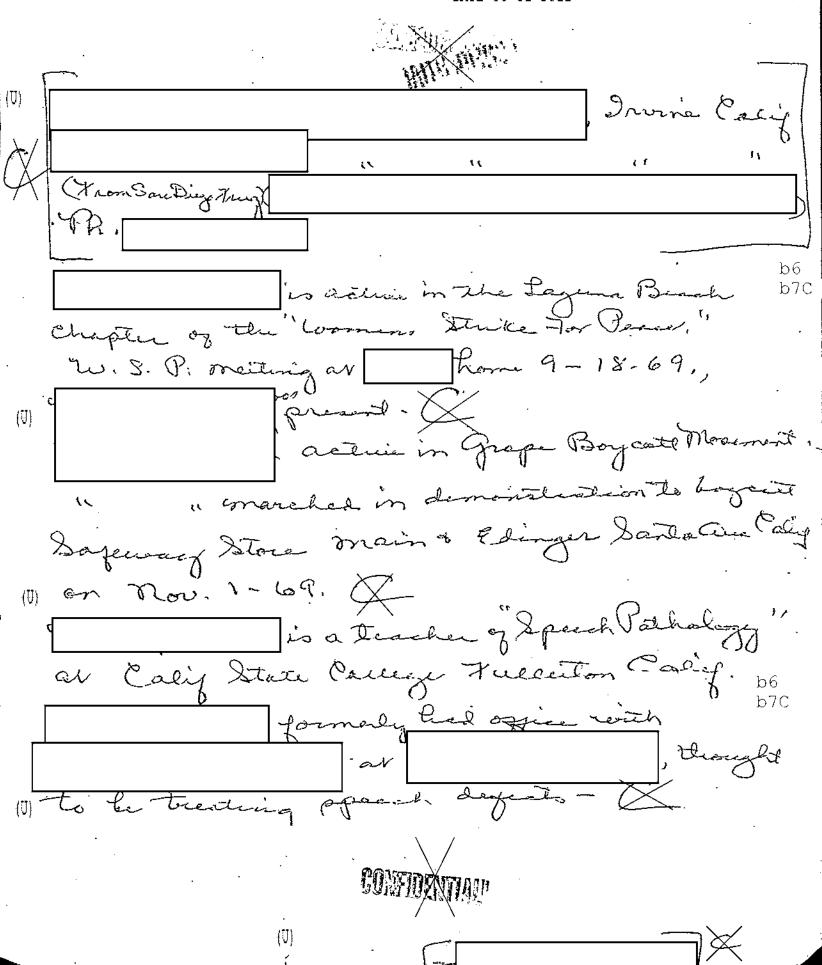
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(U)	active in Grape Boycott Movement.  Safeway Store Main & Edinger Santa Ana Calif on Nov. 1-69.  at Calif State College Fullerton Calif. had office with	<b>≯</b> b6 b70
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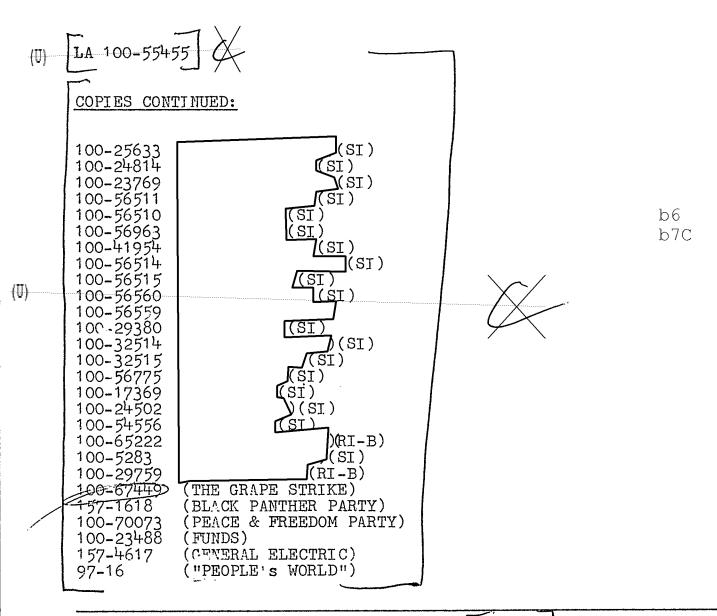
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	L.A. District Committee Meeting Communist Party
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	Recognized as present:
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	objected to the lateness of being and stated the agenda.
	told of the agenda so he could prepare. A Motion was made to have the
	in a proposed suggestion of world that the District Board to bring
(U	Committee will be notified by mail also. Members of the District
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	gave a election report which was from the District Board.
	A Discussion followed with a broad array of ideas presented on the elections. high lighting these was a discussion of the run off on Tues, Dec. 2, 1969 in the 6th. Here a Republicant Property of the run off on
	Tues, Dec. 2, 1969 in the 6th. Here a Republican, a Democrat and a Peace and Freedom candidate are munical
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/II	of the Communist Party.   disagreed because of the main thrust b7C
10	of the Communist Partydisagreed because of the main thrust b7C of workers and middle class still supports the Democrats.
	Dam Kushner also raised the constitution
	John Lindsay of NY a republican. This is recognition of the Chicano as a political force in addition to support of the Chicano.
١,٠	supported to the grape strike.
ſ	After the discussion a motion was made to elect
•	District Committee. A Motion them was made to elect to the
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<u> </u>	then spoke and stated he was not replacing anyone. He
	He intended to involve all the wart were by the Nat. Committee.
	reunify the District Would members in discussion and thereby
1	differences. He may not always succeed but he will always try to get thin
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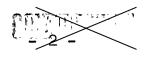
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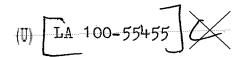


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"The Moranda Smith Section, C.P. & the old Centinella Section, C.P. of the Southern California District, C.P. held a joint new year eve benefit affiar



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"Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1969 - 10:00 P.M. to 2:00 A.M.

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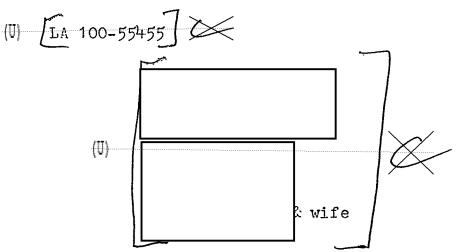
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"There were approximately 62 persons at this C.P. affair; those whose names I knew are as follos:  $\{U\}$ his wife & daughter





(U) "This C.P. Sections New Year Eve Affair was conducted by a planning committee of persons from both the Moranda Smith & the old Centinella Sections, C.P.



"The food of many varities, coffee, cake, champange & some of the liquor were donated by members of the C.P. clubs of the two sponsoring C.P. Sections & (U) some outside friends.

"The program consisted of singing of various (U) songs with all participating led by

was the M.C.; he introduced ADMIRAL to present the speaker for this affiar: spoke briefly on the outstanding events which took place in the year 1969; in terms mass peace demonstrations, the struggles of Black militants; namely the Black Panther Party & a planned program of defense for the Black Panthers, against plice bruitality. also spoke of the students militant movement; the grape strike & the strike by General Electric workers; he urged full support for all these various struggles & work toward complete victory for Peace & Freedom & a joked about better year during 1970: the eating of special New Year foods both national & international in terms of certain foods are believed to bring good luck; he spoke of the time he & his wife

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	& a few others from the U.S.A. who were in the Soviet Union for a new year; and how they shopped all over Moscow, U.S.S.R. for Black-eye peas & found non, but cooked Black beans instead; with instructions to their Russian friends that they must grow Black-eye peas & cook them on new year's day in keeping with an international tradition: ended his talk by wishing everyone more
{U}	peaceful times in the Year 1970 & more successful trends toward Socialism.
(U)	made a pitch talk for collection of funds from the audience, a total of \$49.00 was collected: A total of \$243.50 was taken in with admissions of \$4.00 per single person & \$7.50 per couple.
<del>(</del> U)	"The proceedes from this affair will be divided between the Southern Calif. District C.P. & the P.W. fund drive for the year 1970.
(U)	admission fees at the door.
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(U) January 10, 1970 Los Angeles, Calif.

"The District Committee of the So. Calif. District of the Communist Party U.S.A. held its monthly meeting - actually it did not meet in Dec. Saturday, Jan. 10, 1970 at its usual meeting place - Hungarian Hall.

CC: (HUNGARIAN HALL) 100-32730 100-4486 DOROTHY HEALEY) 100~65645 SI 100**-**30439 157**-**1628 (sr) BPP ] 100-56591 100-58679 (SI) (U)100-33054 100-39704 100-7658 ILWU 100-66078 CIRM) GRAPE STRIKE) 100-67449 MEMBERSHIP) 100-23933 100-23565 STRATEGY IN INDUSTRY (NAT'L GROUP COMMITTEE) 100-26046 LFW/mja Read by 14 (17)

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It was one would guess "DOROTHY HEALEY is back! an extended meeting as seemengly some 50 persons were in (II) attendance has quit the Communist Party - no reason was given just an announcement by that effect. I would supp se the whole affair will be taken b6 up by the Executive Board of the District Committee as b7C was also a member of the National Committee of the C.P. his place I presume will have to be filled by someone else from the Southern Calif Dist. "As odd as it may sound or appear it is good to Somehow she enjects a certain quality in a see DOROTHY back. meeting which always guarantees a certain amount of firework + most certainly a foe against the blaughs, which one often gets at a C.P. meeting. "Here we go again! The past 10 year belonged to the Black people is the Party # even thought at its recent convention, Nationally, the C.P. pledged itself to a return to Working Class Concentration, Industrial Concentration which emphasized heavily the Black Working Class - now seems to be headed for another one of its U-turns for which the C.P. is becoming famous for. >  $\{U\}$ "Shall we say that the 70's will belong to the Brown + perhaps Red people of etics country as the whole of the I.C. meeting was devoted strictly to the problem of Mexican Americans. True enough the emphases would be mostly concerned with the Southwest, but the movement apparently is taking on National significance as this meeting was a prelude to a discussion at the National Convention of the C.P.  $\{U\}$ "Similar to the style + manner of the National b6 + SAM KUSHNER Convention. b7C of this gave a report on the development + accounces Rodicalized movement in this country. began the report by warning the C.P. of its responsible role + not to wag its tail shall we say. report dealt mostly with the Immigration tone of question.

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"Immigration people are the most frequent trouble mobers in the Chicano area. He went on to explain how strike

	breakers were being recruited from Mexico for Farm labor + other domestic work + when they were no longer needed or when they would secretly try + join Unions the employers, who illegally transported them here in the first place, would then call the immigration authorities + began proceding for deportation.	
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(U)	"He did offer however an opinion concerning the Labor picture. According to the I.L.W.U. locally ha a Chicano Chairman + that the general tone of Labor is one of increased involvement in such fields as Youth Black Panthers, and other progressive undertakings.	b7C
	"On the question of the election opionioned that an Anglo-Saxon Peace candidate could not be compared with a progressive Chicano candidate + that the 29th should be Chicano meat.	
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U}	Victory, where Yorty received some 60 per cent of the Chicano fote, agreed that much is to be done yet in the Chicano area to educate it on the importance of Black + Brown Cooperation - admitted that the Chicano Community had been largely responsible for the election of Yorty + that steps + guarantees must be undertaken to prevent the re-occurance of a similar fate. He further emphasized the Common danger by the black panther harrassement + how it must be shown to the Brown Community that on attack upon the Black Panthers we the same as an attack up the Brown Community + would not be folerated.	
(U)	MITO TODA ACOT, MOD TITAOTACA TIT DITE CANDO ALTO!	b6 b7C
(U)	"SAM KUSHNER then followed the two preceeding speakers + his assignment was to deal with the Labor asbent of the Report.	<u> </u>

"He made little reference to the Grape Strike + explained that it was already a much discussed tommon knowledge thing in the Party + for that reason would dispera with dealing with this aspect of it. Instead be dealt with the Chicano Movement + its relationship w/to the Labor movement.

He did say though that 1970 might be the year of the break Strike. The Union's Public through in the defense of the Black Panther Party - Developed of the Struggles against the Catholic Church - Each one being a new undertaking by the Union. SAM said the Union felt that due to the threats facing the Black + Brown people it was incombent upon the Union to enitial steps to develop a defense movement to step up resistance + to block the establishment from distroying this minority, and in the same the pos\_ of this being a key to its own success.

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"SAM asked himself the question why is a large segement of the Chicano working class un=organized', and then answered himself by mentioning the Border situation of transportation strike breakers at one answer. He said that many employees would recruit cheap labor from Mexico + once the illegal recruits were no longer useful, the same employers would call the Immigration Authorities + have the people deported back accross the Border.

"He siad contrary to popular belief many illegals working in factories in So. Calif. has since joined the Unions but requested the PW not to print this for fear of being deported.X

"Then Mexican American report.

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dealt mostly with the question of the CP. began by saying that the So. Calif. District had a long history of effective + dedicated work on the Chicano question. That the question was not local or the Southwest, so to speak but, the question was one of a National question + the right of the its own course. Mexican Americans in this country to He further felt that the question of the against the Catholic Church was not new either as it had been urged as far farh as 1959 by the So. Calif District. The party then pointed out that the Catholic Church played no Mexican Community except a role of domination by the Church. At that time it was virtually impossible to effectively work on this issue as a great majority of the Chicano people were capitavite by the Catholic Church.

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(U)	"The Mexican American face a double jeaporady by the Police as will as the immigration people.	he
(U)	said in looking at the elections it was time for the Party to realize that a Peace Candidate in no longer the question. 'The 29th Congressional District represents the whole pennacle of our struggles.' 'The Party has to see the 29th as a special Concentration area'!	b6
(U)	also touched on the 45th + 48th Congressional Districts as well call for studies to be made in this area also. He further wained that even though it is true that most Mexican Americans still remain in the Democratics, Republicans were making significant gains.	b7C
<del>(</del> U)	"In the discussion period that followed both who started the discussion, and DOROTHY HEALEY who spoke near the end, took put at the National Committee.	X
( <del>U</del> )	"'Why is there so much relutonre in the Party Nationally concerning the question of the Chicano people."  went on to say that he believed STALEN's defenition a  Nation was perhaps to blame. 'We must recognize that this is a National Minority + has National aims. went on to say that the Party must recognize the right of self determination and that lines + foundaries c be	b6 b7C
, , , , ,	"When DOROTHY HEALEY spoke she proposed a resalution to the D.C. + N.C. calling for the re-printers of key section the treaty guaranturic the Legeslative would be binin thetreaty signed between this country + Mexico.	on of
(U) . , <u>-</u> ,	"The Mexican Am. Commission proposed the following resolutions which were all passed:	•
(U) · (U)	1. That the D.C. endorse the main of the resolution passed at the national convention as the main political resolution.  2. That section of the resolution be strengthened with additions of labor defense of the Chicano Community + Black + Brown participation.  4. In the Analysis shall be the development of Farm Labor, United the Chicano Church + the anti war movement.	tion.

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5. That the Party held organize + finance a delegation of Chicanos to visit Cuba.

6. Call upon for special labor org. efforts + those margenal light industries in which the work face is composed of large parties of Chicano + Blacks.

"The line of the District is that we would strive to make the 29th a Chicano District representation - We endorse a state wide project to assist the church fight - and other projects dealing with Chicanos of worth in any other part of the state that would be of a key nature."

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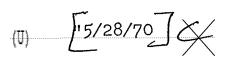
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	Southside Section Executive Meeting At the home of:
(J)	Tuesday, February the Cir. at 8 P.M.
	Eight present  reported on the following:  b6  b7C
(U) (T)	1. World Peace Coference in Brithish Columbia to be held the week- end of 7th. &8th. of Feb. It was hoped that and would be able to go. (\$15.00 was collected from the Section towards the sending of these people)
(J)	announced the Section Nembership meeting to be held at
(J)	in Hawthorne. The following will be taken up:  L. Election for the next year of Section officers  2. Report on People's World
1 f	Evaluation of work done in the Southside Section of Communist Par W March 7th. Conference in Chicago. "Labor and the Panthers".
. 4	brought up the fact the Section needs a typewriter \$670
	they won't have to use or typewriter which might be traced by FBL. had given a printer \$100 to
	be used for Off Set printing of the Fact Sheet and On the Line, asked if it was alright with him if they use the man for a typewriter instead - which he agreed to.
. (IJ)	asked for denations for the Indians. She is in touc
. (•)	with The Student Indian Council at Long Beach City College - She ask to contact the Prog. Women's Club and ask if they would be contact the Prog. Women's Club and ask if they would be contact the Prog.
•	1ike to have of the Student Indian Council speak to their group. She asked for the following:
(0	2. Canned goods
(U)	3. Candles 4. Blankets 5. Powdered Milk
	"report from the District of GP b6
	1. Labor gets 5% when building a home b7C 2. Interest rates unlimited
	3. Massive effort must be made in 1970 to help the Grape Workers in every way - this is the key to the Chicano masses.
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U)	"A meeting of the Moranda Smith Section - C.P. was held this evening May 25th at Los Angeles. This meeting was held to revitalize the Section. Those that were invited to attend this meeting were the Section Officers & the officers of the So. Central Club, the Cyril Briggs Club & the Chelu Mumumba Club.  "Those that attended this meeting were	b6 b7C
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(U)	"The question arose as to why none of the members of the Chelu Mumumba Club did not come out to this very important meeting.	
(U)	w they promised to come to this meeting. He also stated that	b6 b7C
(U)	stated that the last meeting of the <u>Chelu</u> <u>Mumumba</u> Club showed, (according to their thinking) that no real relationship exists between them & the other Clubs in this Section, & they agreed that a better relationship has to become effective between the other two clubs & them.	)
(U)-	displayed 5000 C.P. <u>leafletes</u> entitled, Communis Urge: 'Halt NIXON's Bloody War' & added that these <u>leafletes</u> has to be distributed by these two clubs - So. Central & Cyril Briggs, immediately at the Shop gates, Super Markets, etc., etc. in the Club's concentration Areas. He stated that the <u>Chelu Mumumba</u> Club took 5000 of the 10,000 <u>leafletes</u> allotted to this Section, & that the <u>Chelu Mumumba</u> is already passing out their 5000.	b6 . b70
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<del>(</del> U)	stated that it is the <u>Chelu Mumumba's</u> contention that the other two clubs in this Section are doing no recruiting nor any other effective Party work, as it appears (according to them) that these two Clubs are doing nothing but but talking & discussing non-effective issues.	b b
<b>⟨U⟩</b>	stated: The various recent striks, such as G.E., Good year, etc., have developed some relationship between the Party & the strikers, but we haven't gotten even one recruit from the result of our relationship with the strikers.	/
(U)	"We have comrads in the various unions such as the Teamsters, the unions that cover G.E., Goodyear, etc., but none of our Comrads have recruited anybody from or through these unions. We worked & helped the Grape strikers for months but not one recruit did we get from the ranks of the Grape strikers. The Chelu Mumumba Club have recruited a number of Black Youths. The Club in Riverside organized the biggest demonstration ever under the sponsorship of the Young Workers Liberation League & from the result of this demonstration, they recruited 5 new members into the Party.	
(U)	"Our objective is to build the Party around labor & above all, to do some recruiting from labor. How many have each of us recruited into the Party?	
(U)	"A round table discussion on wheather this Section should remain as a Section & headed by a Section organizer or revert to an Area & headed by a Co-ordinating Committee & a Co-ordinator. It was pointed out in the discussion that we only meet together now as a section, to make & plan work for someone else to do & it turns out that no one does it. It was finally decided by a vote to retain the Section & elect a Section organizer.	
	"Those nominated to become the Section Organizer Were b6	$\sim$
(U)	not including who abstained.	J
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LA 100-55455 proposed that hecame the Section Organizer. work together with also proposed that the three assistance. a team & of them get together at the end of this meeting & set a date for the 3 to hold a meeting & set a date for the election of Section officers, etc. 🔀  $\{U\}$ threw out the possibility of a Section Convention or Conference to be set by the Sect. organizer & her 2 aides to be held in the immediate future & it could be decided there as to how many & who to be or would be elected on the Section Committee or as Section officers. stated that he recently returned from N.Y.C.,  $\{U\}$ at the National Committee meeting & their discussion of Pres. NIXON disclosed that NIXON is trying to pull all the ingredients towards a Facist state. He stressed the point that NIXON called the students a bunch of bums, & California's Govenor REAGAN called for a blood bath among the Students.' All this is the earmarks of Facism. These two Pigs do not seem to realize that the future rulers, dictators, senators, governors & presidents of the United States will come from these militant students of to-day. These present day students will never forget "We have to struggle for Black & White Unity &  $\{U\}$ against white chauvinsim & win the unity of all peoples, as pointed out at the recent National Committee meeting.  $\{U\}$ A STATE OF THE PARTY AND ASSESSED. "The National Rand & File Conference will be held in Chicago on June 27 & 28th. We will seek out Rank & File Trade Union members from this area to attend this conference in Chicago', said

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Investigators received information that

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across a vacant lot from his store. In an interview on the above date and time related the following information regarding the b6 activities at the Third World Book Store, The Third World Book Store b70 has been in operation for approximately 8 or 9 months. During this time has had an opportunity on different occassions to frequent and browse around inside the book store. He noted that the literature and most of the books dealt mainly with Communism. On particular date he observed in the window on display at the bookstore a copy of the FREE PRESS posted in the window. This was the issue that carried on the front page the names and addresses of all the state narcotics agents. About a month ago which would be September 18 or 19, 1969 an employee returned from a delivery and stated he had just observed an individual carrying rifles from a Volkswagon into the Third World made the observation that the possession of rifles and shotguns was not against the law or unusual. However, his b6 employee stated that these book store employees were hiding the  $rifler_{b70}$ or shotgens under their shirts as they were carrying them to the store. A short time later a second employee informed he had just witnessed a similar incident of guns being carried into the book store. went out to the rear of his business and took At this time down the license number of the Volkswagon that was pointed out to him by his employees that the weapons were being unloaded from. The incident regarding the guns occurred twice in one day and were separated by maybe an hour or an hour and a half. The Volkswagon was yellow in color. called the Police Department and after being transerred about two or (0)three times he finally talked to a young lady in some detective bureau,

concerning the activities of the Third World Book Store which is located

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He relayed his information to her regarding the guns being carried into the book store and the license number of this Volkswagon. Since that date he has disposed of his written notation. This unit has contacted the Commander of the West Valley Detective in an attempt to ascertain if any of the clerks in the detective bureau received and recorded this information.

information.

has a teenage son who attends Taft High School.

His son reported to him that during the recent confrontation between the students and faculty at Taft High School the two individuals who run the Third World Book Store had been observed outside the high school in a vehicle. The Third World Book Store applied for membership in the Reseda Chamber of Commerce but their application was refused.

Mednesday night about 9:00 pm. has made several notes on this as he has a habit of returning to his store and checking the premises. On the night of these meetings one man is posted at the front and one man at the rear of the book store. During the hot spell this past summer their meetings were held outside with about 20 or 30 persons in attendance. One night returned to his building and as he drove up all activities with this large group stopped and the speaker sat down. Between building and the Third World Book Store there is a vacant lot approximately 75 feet in width.

This lot is used for parking by persons who frequent the book store. has contacted the owner of this property and requested that he, leased the property from the owner so that he can legally post no parking signs. A short time ago posted signs on his parking lot because the book store customers were overflowing his parking lot. has seen parents return to the book store at the conclusion of these meetings and pick up their children. The children appear to be either high school or of college aga. On the vehicles that he sees coming to the book store they have the bumper stickers stating "Students for Peace" and or "Boycott Grapes".

The store is run by two individuals whose names has been unable to learn even from the Chamber of Commerce. One individual as described by is Arabic in appearance with a full heavy beard and the other a young fellow who attends Pierce College. During July the owner of the bar next to the Third World Book Store informed that the Arabic looking fellow from the Third World Book Store was out of town attending a meeting in July. According to the bar owner the Arabic individual had informed him he would be attending a meeting in Berkeley, California.

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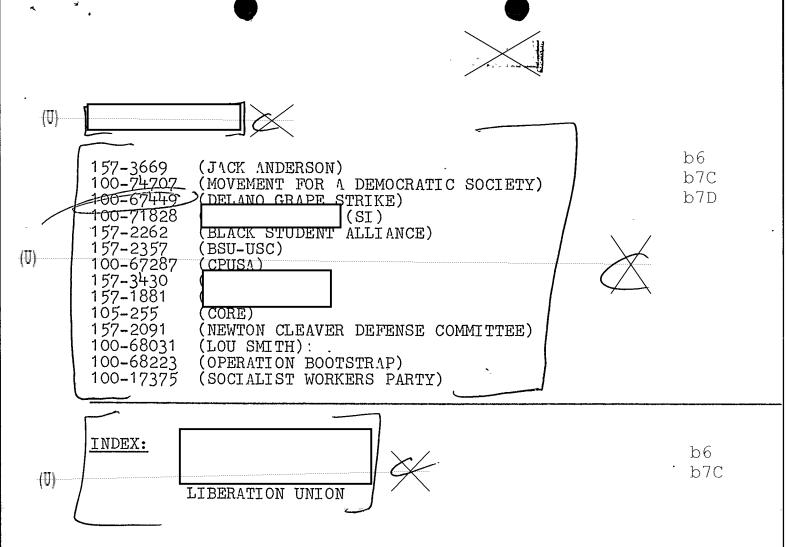
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is very cooperative and promises to keep this unit informed of further activities of the Third World Book Store and lists of license numbers that he can secured.

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A source furnished two stencils reflecting a letter from the Black Panther Party addressed to: "Dear Friends." The letter indicates the need to free Black Panther Party Minister of Defense HUEY P. NEWTON, as well as all political prisoners. A \$2.00 advance donation for the Newton Birthday Benefit is also solicited.

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A second stencil listed information concerning the Huey P. Newton Rally of February 14, 1970, and listed by name speakers, entertainment, sponsors, and co-sponsors



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Social Science Club.

As in the past years, the Social Science Club of Harbor is again sponsoring a tutoring program involved devoting two days a week after school area.

Beginning second semester this program will involve devoting two days a week after school to helping these youngsters.

Anyone interested should listen to the morning announcements to find out more about the pro-

In the future, the Social Science Club may sponsor a food drive for the people of the Delano area. Students wishing to participate should see Mr. Jim Newkirk, Social Science Club Director.

The Delano toy drive, held before Christmas vacation was a great success. Mr. Newkirk stated, "I want to thank everyone who donated toys to the drive. Your gifts made many children happy over Christmas." Over 3,000 toys were donated by students to the toy drive for the Delano children.

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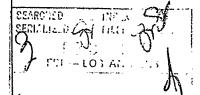
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## Court Halts Picketing of Melon Crop but Few Return to Work

Exclusive to The Times from a Staff Writer

EL CENTRO—Superior Judge Victor A. Gillespie Friday issued a temporary restraining order against all picketing of Imperial County's \$11 million melon crop.

But even without picketing, which halted after the order was issued, almost all workers remained off the job at the struck ranch of Abatti Brothers Produce Co.

About 200 workers left their jobs Thursday, and Friday about 15 returned after picketing was stopped. The skeleton crew picked only 800 crates of melons compared to the usual 4,500 crates.

#### Hopeful for Negotiations

Since melons can rot quickly, union leaders were hopeful that Abatti would agree to negotiate a contract, although so far the firm has refused to even talk with officials of the AFL-CIO United Farm Workers Organizing Committee.

In issuing the temporary antipicketing order, Judge Gillespie accepted at least temporarily the unique argument by the company attorney that there can be no strikes against any perishable crop at harvest time because of a section of a state law which says:

"One must so use his own rights as not to infringe on the rights of others."

Franklin McDaniel, attorney for Abatti, argued that even a labor dispute "is not sufficient justification to interfere with the harvest of a perishable crop," as he interpreted the law, and the judge apparently agreed.

Abatti is also suing UFWOC for \$30,000 a day real damages and for \$250,000 exemplary damages for the strike which began here Thursday.

Abatti refused to talk with Cesar Chavez, head of the union, or any of its representatives.

William Kircher, national director of organization for the AFL-CIO, called the company from Washington to ask for a meeting in an attempt to avert the strike, but Abatti refused.

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## Melon Growers Recruit Boys in Anticipation of Farm Strike

85 Fut to Work in Fields in Campaign Against Chavez' Unionization Efforts; 70 Others Fail to Get Job Permits

#### BY HARRY BERNSTEIN

\_ Times Labor Writer

EL CENTRO-Nearly 85 teen-age boys from Yuma, Ariz, went to work picking melons here Tuesday but about 70 other youngsters brought here as potential strike breakers were sent home because. permits.

The youths who remained here were between 16 and 18 years old; . the ones who were sent home were 14 and 15.

After a day of melon, picking in the fields of Mario Shikhon, a spokesman for the growers said. "The boys did quite well."

However, a farm workers union spokesman disputed the claim, saying the firm had planned to have 4,-500 crates packed, but only 1,600 were finished.

The youngsters were brought here as part of a growers' campaign to fight off unionization by Cesar Chavez' AFL-CIO United Farm Workers Organizing Committee.

Actually, a feared strike at the Shikhon farms did not materialize, but the company laid off its workers anyway and put the Yuma youngsters to work, a company spokesman said.

More teen-agers—16 or over—are expected to arrive today.

The youths are being recruited by Imperial County growers through radio commercials over KBLU, a

Yuma rock music station. The school . term has ended in Yuma.

The growers are expecting that at least one and possibly all of them will be struck this week following the decision by the valley's largest they were too young to get work, melon grower-Abatti Produce Co. -last Saturday to recognize the union as bargaining agent for the firm's melon pickers.

The radio campaign turned up the nearly 160 youngsters who were brought here by chartered buses and put up at the modern Fabulous Inn, where they swam in a heated pool and were served meals in the hotel restaurant while they waited for the 5 a.m. call to start their harvesting job Tuesday morning.

But during the night Monday someone alerted the growers to a major oversight: They had forgotten that in California youngsters under 16 cannot get work permits for the farm jobs except under special conditions which many of the Yuma boys did not meet.

They lined up at 5:30 a.m. for the buses to take them to the fields, but by 7 a.m. it became clear the work permits could not be obtained and the younger boys were-sent back

Before leaving, Jerry Wise, 15, said: "They kept saying everybody 14 and over could go to work. Now they ain't going to give us anything

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except a bus ride: Boy, what a raw deal.

But his anger cooled somewhat when the growers decided to give the youngsters \$8 each for their troubles, and also let them swim one more time in the motel pool.

Almost all the Yuma boys are Anglos, apparently out for a lark and to earn the minimum \$2 an hour promised by the growers.

: Brent Choate, 14, who was forced to return home without any work, had been prepared to work be-

hind picket lines.
"I knew we were going into that strike thing, but I wasn't worried because they said the cops would be there in case of any trouble," the youngiter said.

In past years Imperial because workers here would have no part of union activities:

This time Abatti was, convinced that the anic represented his workers, a major breakthrough when he was unable to get when Imperial County's regular crews to cross. largest melon grower, the union picket lines. Abatti Bros. Produce Co., union picket lines.

And the Imperial Valley

Vegetable Growers Assn. indicated concern about the apparent effectiveness of the Abatti strike by their advertising campaign directed toward "civic minded students and others who would like to earn \$2 minimum per hour."

Chavez and Grower Reported Negotiating

MC FARLAND (A) -Spokesmen said Cesar Chavez began contract negotiations Tuesday with a huge fruit and citrus grower in the San Joaquin Valley who has agreed to recognize Chavez farm workers union. Hollis Boberts, president

of Robert Farms, was not available 107 comment. His secretary said he was in a day long private meeting.

If true, the negotiations maintaining that strike cond time Chavez has threats are meaningless achieved recognition of would mark only the sethe union from nongrape growers.

Last week the United CIO won agreed to negotiate.

## Now It's Melons

Cesar Chavez for the first time has expanded his war against California grapes to include another commodity.

He has moved his union forces against the \$11 million melon crop in the Imperial Valley. The timing is right since the melon harvest is ready for picking. Melons are highly vulnerable to a strike because they begin rotting within three days after ripening.

Chavez' tactics of intimidation and threats have closed three fields comprising 300 acres of one grower's total of 1200. The cost to the grower is estimated at \$30,000 a day.

A spokesman for Chavez' union said pickets will move from field to field, following the staggered crop maturity schedule of the growers.

Such unfair and despicable activities stress the urgent need for federal legislation to protect the grower and the consumer. Sen. George Murphy has one answer in a bill before Congress—the consumers food protection act —which would spell out the responsibilities of various segments of the consumer economy. The measure also would give the nation's agricultural workers the right to organize and bargain collectively if they wish.

It is absolutely essential in order to protect the flow of food from the farm to marketplace, that a legal framework is provided to protect farmers against the unfortunate type of harassment they have experienced in recent years.

Murphy's measure would not permit strikes at harvest time or national boycotts of farm products. Without this legislation, Murphy fears "further social unrest in the name of unionism, not only on our farms in California and eventually across the nation, but in each area where food is handled on its way to the housewife. This trend could lead to conditions of chaos and disorder in the consumer economy."

Chavez is opposed to Murphy's bill because it would place his union under the National Labor Relations. Act and subject to the Taft-Hartley and Landrum-Griffin Acts. His grape boycott then would become unlawful as a secondary boycott. And he could not force a closed shop. Chavez is not content to operate under the legal rights accorded other American workers. He wants more.

He wants the right to force farm employers, through the boycott and work stoppages at harvest time, into recognizing his union as the bargaining agent.

Too many well-meaning people have been blinded to Chavez' real motive which is to control agriculture, no matter who is hurt.

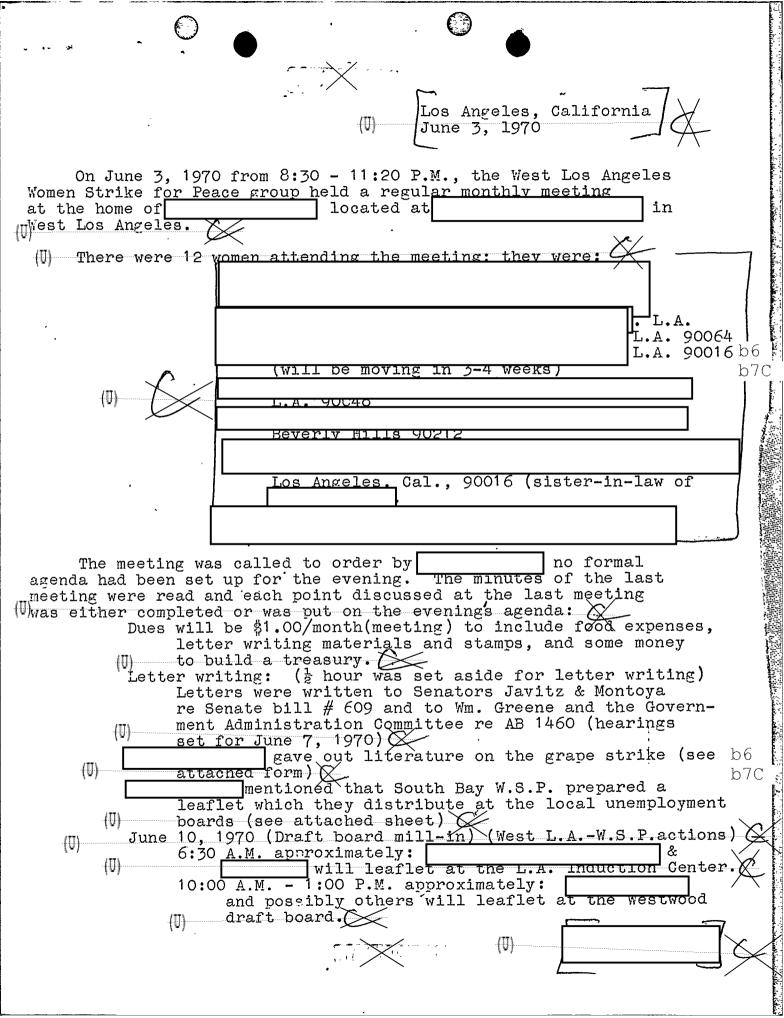
The time is past due for the consumers, the farm owners and workers to have the protection which Senator Murphy's bill provides.

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## San Joaquin Hands Say Chavez Drive gnores their Rights

BY ROBERT FAIRBANKS Times Staff-Writer

SACRAMENTO-A band of angry Mexican - American, farm workers drove here Sureday to charge that Cesar Charez is denying them their rights as he unionizes California's table grape industry.

The group, composed of workers from Delano and other communities in the San Joaquin Valley, said that Chavez is refusing to permit free elections that would allow workers to decide whether they want to be Macias, a former grape represented by his United Farm worker but now a labor workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO.

A spokesman for the group, Cornelio Macias of Sanger, said Chavez is forcing growers to sign with the tunion regardless of what employes may wish to do.

He said Chavez had achieved such power because the union-sponsored boycott of California table grapes has been such a success.

"The growers just want that bird on their boxes," said Macias, referring to the union's symbol, an eagle, which is stenciled on boxes of grapes that have been harvested on union ranches.

Macias and some 30 to 40 others the Capitol with Republican Sens. John Harmer of Glendale and H. L. Richardson of Arcadia.

The lawmakers heard the arguments and received petitions which, hey promised, would be delivered

to Gov. Reagan and other state officials. They also promised to aftend a farm workers rally scheduled to be held in Delano next Friday,

Reagan has offered use of a conciliation service in the State Department of Industrial Relations to supervise any elections sought by workers and growers.

Mrs. Dolores Mendoza of Delano said she would yote against the union if an election were held, adding, "There's no benefit in it; all they want is our money,"

However, she and the others also said that if a fair election showed that a majority of employes wanted the union, they and other opponents. would go along.

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wounde if unionization occurs without elections. He said there are thousands. who feel as he does and they will not "stand still."

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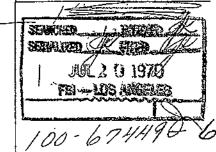
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ORGANIZING COMMITTEE INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 7/11/70, the writer received the attached leaflets and demonstrative outline concerning the Delano Grape Strike from an unidentified individual who was distributing the leaflets at Ralph's Grocery Store, corner of Bundy Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles.

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#### BACKGROUND INFOR ATION ON THE BOYCOTT OF CALIFORNIA TABLE GRAPES

The Delano Grape Strike began in September 1965 when the UNITED FARL WORKERS ORGANIZING COLLITTEE (UFWOC), AFL - CIO, under the leadership of Cesar Chavez, sought union recognition for farm workers employed by California's wine grape growers. The growers refused to hold elections. Although the union represented to clear majority of the workers, it could not take advantage of the election procedures of the Mational Labor Relations Act since farm workers are specifically excluded from the Act. Because of this, UFWOC was forced to resort to a national consumer boycott of struck wines which resulted in contracts throughout the industry.

On August 3, 1967, the union moved against the largest California table grape grower, the Giumarra Corporation, which holds 12, 000 acres of land. Although 950 of the 1000 workers went out on strike, Giumarra, with the cooperation of the State Department of Labor and the compliance of immigration officials, illegally irreplaced these workers with strikebreakers, many of whom were imported from Mexico. Vicious attacks on strikers at the grape ranches in the Coachella Valley and a California Superior Court injunction limiting the picketing to one men per entrance on these sprawling ranches reduced the strike's effectiveness.

In October, 1967, the union began a nationwide consumer boycott of Giumarra grapes, Nevertheless, Giumarra soon flooded the market with grapes bearing the labels of the other table grape growers, in violation of the advertising provisions of the Food and Drug Administration. By January 1968, the union had no other other alternative but to launch an International Boycott of ALL CALIFORNIA TABLE GRAPES.

Public response to the boycott has been tremendous. The late Senator Robert Kennedy supported the strike from the beginning. The National Council of Churches, many Catholic officials, and the Jewish Federation Council have expressed their support for the boycott. Vice - Fresident Humphrey, Senator LeCarthy and Senator ReGovern have endorsed the strike and the Boycott. The Layors of New York, Baltimore, Cleveland, Detroit, Fittsburg, Buffalo, and Boston have taken similar action. Interfaith action committees of all religious denominations have been formed around the country to support the grape strike. The AFL - CIO, the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, and the Canadian Labor Congress passed resolutions supporting the informational boycoft and requested their members not to buy grapes.

J. In spite of these pressures, the grape growers are determined to deny the rights of collective bargaining to farm workers. They have refused to hold elections, meet with union representatives, and rejected efforts by the Bishop of Fresno, the City Council of Fresno, the California State Conciliation Service, and the Payor of San Francisco to mediate the strike. Furthermore, California Governor Ronald Reagan has joined forces with the state's multi-million dollar agricultural industry and ordered state agencies to gather facts so that steps may be taken to stop the boycott.

The Farm Workers is America's forgotten man, He is not protected by health and pension plans, receives no unemployment insurance or workmen's compensation when he is injured from the job, and is excluded from most minimum wage legislation. Working in the 100 degree sun, he earns an average \$1800 a year and watches his children drop out of school to enter the fields. UFWOC is the first organization that has successfully forced agribusiness to provide farm workers with a living wage and dignified working conditions. In these fields where the Grapes of Whath are grown, the farm workers and Cesar Chavez are engaged in an epic struggle against the masters of the land.

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For information on how you can help the farm workers contact: UFWOC, 3053 Whittier Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 90063 Phone: (213) 264-0316



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## THE DERANO GRAPS STRIKE:

## The Farm Workers' Struggle For Self Determination

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"When we are really honest with ourselves we must admit that our lives are all that really belong to us. So, it is how we use our lives that determines what kind of men we are. It is my deepest belief that only by giving our lives do we find life. I am convinced that the truest act of courage, the strongest act of manliness is to sacrifice ourselves for others in a totally non-violent struggle for justice. To be a man is to suffer for others. God help us to be men!" (Cesar Chavez)



"The time has come for farm workers: dignity and a measure of hope through organization and self-determination."

-George Ballis photos

On December 1, 1968, Prebyterian Life printed a long article by Mr. Allan Grant entitled "California Grapes and the Boycott - The Growers' Side of the Story." Among other things Mr. Grant implied that farm workers in California are doing reasonably well economically. He also hinted that the leaders of the Union have no real interest in the workers or in social justice. Mr. Grant pieced together a large number of facts and conclusions (some accurate and some not): but he did not deal seriously with the underlying issues of the Delano Grape Strike: 1) Are seasonal farm workers underpaid and mistreated on the job? 2) Would an organization of their own improve conditions? 3) Do farm workers want such an organization; do they want to be represented by Cesar Chavez' UFWOC? 4) Is the agricultural industry opposing the formation of a strong and independent organization of workers? Answers to these questions might help Christians respond to one important ethical question that confronts us:

How are we to be servants to the men, women and childen who harvest the crops?

I would like to talk about the nature of the agricultural industry, conditions in the fields and trace the history of the Delano strike and in so doing try to address the basic human issues involved in the farm worker's



struggle. I will then deal more directly with some other statements made in Mr. Grant's article. I am not writing as a detached student of this struggle. The California Migrant Ministry has been at work in the fields for 25 years. I have known Cesar Chavez for more than 7 years. Our staff has been present from the beginning of the Strike in September 1965. Our concern is for dignity and full life for workers, their families and indeed for all men in the agricultural community. We believe that self-determination for farm workers is one crucial element in a more just and human future. We believe that farm workers must have a strong organization of their own if they are to improve their life situation and we have tried to help them gain the strength needed to bring about that measure of equality that will make possible bargaining with their employers.

#### Cairrornia's Most rowerful Industry

California agriculture is big business! Gross agricultural income in 1966 was a record \$3.95 billion dollars. Since then it has topped four (4) billion dollars. California agriculture and related industries, by their own testimony, account for 33% of the jobs in the state. Farm workers are pressing for change against the determined resistance of the state's most powerful and influential industry.

Agriculture in California has been characterized by large farms, specialized crops, high peak labor needs and a large supply of impoverished farm workers - often from other countries.2 Although the majority of farmers in California are smaller landowners, the industry is dominated by the largest landowners. The 1964 U.S. Census of Agriculture showed 81,000 farms in California. 49,000 of those farms hire no outside labor. 7% of the farms employ 75% of the labor.3 60% of California's farms average less than 50 acres but the total acreage of these small farms is 5% of California's agricultural land.4 The 1959 U.S. Census of Agriculture showed that 6.0% of California's farms own 75% of the land. Included among those large landowners are So. Pacific Railroad, Standard Oil, J. G. Boswell, Anderson Clayton, Tejon Ranch (L.A. Times), Bank of America and Giumarra Vineyards Corporation. Contrary to Mr. Grant's statements many Delano area growers other than Giumarra have large landholdings in excess of 2,500 acres.5

These powerful agricultural land-holders and their economic allies dominate the agricultural industry in California. They and their predecessors have resisted unionization since the turn of the century. The farm workers' struggle for organization and bargaining may be focussed today on table grapes but it is in fact a struggle with the will of the entire industry. And as many people in other states have noticed, it is a struggle with agricultural labor users all over the nation. If farm workers are to

succeed against the resistance of the industry, they must succeed in Delano and in table grapes. If they can gain the right of organizing and bargaining in wine and table grapes then all farm workers may share in the benefits and the dignity of new found organizational strength.

## Poverty & Suffering Among Farm Workers

Some may ask: Why is such organizational strength necessary? Are conditions really that bad? "No other segment of our population is so poorly paid yet contributes so much to our Nation's wealth and welfare."7 speaks the U.S. Senate Subcomittee on Migratory Labor in its discussion of seasonal farm workers in the U.S.A. But as Mr. Grant implies it may be unfair to lump California farm workers into national conclusions since farm workers in California are paid more than in any other state (excepting Hawaii where farm workers are organized).8 California's Welfare Study Commission made the following statement in referring to farm workers: "one occupational group in California is so deeply locked in poverty that it is set off from all others."9 Allan Grant quotes the Governor's Advisory Commission on Housing but overlooks the following conclusion of their study: "Fewer than 20 percent of the California farm worker families covered in our study lived in dwellings which could be considered adequate by present standards of health, safety and comfort. Sixty-three percent of the dwelling units occupied by general field workers were dilapidated or deteriorated. For 33 percent of the dwelling units occupied by general field workers, the only toilet facilities were pit privies. Thirty percent of the dwellings had no bathing facilities, and 25 percent lacked even so basic a necessity as a kitchen sink with running water. These conditions, to be discussed in detail in the body of the report, offer little evidence of improvement in the relative economic and social position of the agricultural worker in California. He remains, as he has since the state's early transition to intensive labor use farming, among the most poorly paid, poorly fed, and poorly housed of California's citizens."10

It is true that many grape pickers in California earn \$1.40 or \$1.50 per hour plus an incentive piece rate during the peak harvest season. But the peak harvest season lasts only four to six weeks." During the rest of the year wages hover around \$1.40 per hour<sup>12</sup> and work is sporadic and uncertain. Even at harvest some employers pay a flat \$1.50 per hour<sup>13</sup> and not all workers get steady employment. Mr. Grant quotes the \$1.65 minimum wage established by California's Industrial Welfare Commission. He failed to mention that California's grape growers sought to have that minimum wage set aside in court-an expensive legal action that can only be understood in the context of hourly pay under \$1.65 per hour. \$1.65 State minimum is for women only. Men are covered by the federal law but at a discriminatory level: \$1.30 per hour as compared to \$1.60 per hour for other workers. According to an independent study done for the University of California, the average grape worker in Kern County (where Delano is located) is employed 119 days out of the year. Full employment would be somewhere near 250 days.14 His annual income is comparable to the average for all seasonal farm workers in California: \$2,024.15 To make matters worse, the gap between farm workers and other workers is widening. In 1948, the average California farm worker earned 62% of the hourly wage of his counterpart in manufacturing. In 1965, average farm worker earnings were 46% of the wage earned by the average worker in manufacturing.16 Farm workers in California are poverty-stricken; real human suffering results from that poverty. Those who doubt the reality of that suffering need to spend some time in the barrios and rural fringe communities of our state.

#### **Powerlessness**

Annual income is only one aspect of the farm workers problem. They are relatively powerless on the job and in the life of the community. As a result, farm workers are excluded

from unemployment insurance, and collective bargaining legislation. Mr. Grant affirms the protections farm workers have in California but enforcement of the laws that do cover farm workers in California is at best weak and inconsistent.17 The California Rural Legal Assistance program, led by attorneys, has been investigating the enforcement of laws that are supposed to protect farm workers. In a preliminary report they noted 1,869 violations of state health and sanitation laws. Over 90% of the farmers in one county were in violation of state health laws. 18 In another county they determined that only 14 of 139 farmers surveyed provided toilets for their workers and that only two of the 14 did so in compliance with health standards.19 Even Governor Ronald Reagan has recently called for more effective enforcement of laws that are on the books to protect California's farm workers (in the same statement he opposed unemployment insurance for seasonal farm workers and the extension of the National Labor Relations Act (NLRA) to agriculture).20

California farmers are not especially cruel or corrupt. They are men like us who happen to have too much power over the lives of their workers. They have become accustomed to an over-supply of poor and unorganized workers which has allowed them to control all the important decisions about wages and working conditions. Being human, they have paid more attention to their own economic interests than to the interests of the workers. As a result workers in agriculture have been denied the improved wages and working conditions that are commonplace in industry.21 The vast majority of farm workers in California do not have contracts; they do not get overtime pay; too often they do not even know their rate of pay while they are working; there are no holidays or vacations with pay; they do not have health or pension plans; in many instances they must provide their own tools & equipment; safety provisions are minimal; there are no

- cal) have long periods of unemployment and underemployment. As stated earlier the average grape picker who works regularly in the grapes in Kern County gets 119 days of work per year.
- 4) Allan Grant contends that there is no strike in the grapes and that the Union does not represent the workers. It is the classic argument used by employers who oppose the unionization of their workers. How can employers in an unorganized industry know the deeply held convictions of their workers? How can the public know the will of workers when employers refuse to allow elections?

The grapes are being picked. It is slow and expensive but growers have been willing to pay the cost of recruiting strikebreakers from Mexico and the Southwest rather than to discuss issues with their original employees. Can it be said that there is no strike just because there are too many hungry people in the U.S. and Mexico — some of whom are willing even to be strikebreakers in order to meet the basic needs of their families?

Mr. Grant quotes UFWOC membership figures as an indication that Chavez is a failure. He fails to mention that these are family memberships and that many families include 2-3 workers. He also compares these membership figures with the total number of farm workers in California when the UFWOC organizing drive has been mainly limited to grape workers since the strike began in September 1965. (California agriculture produces more than 200 commercial crops.) I freely acknowledge that more farm workers need to be reached by the organizing struggle. My conclusion from that is that the strikers need more help: more food, money and volunteer assistance-more help so they can win the strike and reach out to workers in other crops. It is ironic that growers point to slow progress in gaining members & contracts. It is their own unified resistance to reasonable social change and a more just future that makes the

struggle so slow and so difficult for all parties. It is their unified refusal even to discuss elections that makes the boycott necessary.

## Problems of Small Farmers

5) Mr. Grant points to the cost-price squeeze that is affecting many farmers. The vast majority of churchmen and farm workers empathize with the plight of the small farmer. However, it must be pointed out that most workers in California are employed by large commercial farms (see earlier figures in this article). It must also be said that even the hard pressed small farmer is not in the same economic position as the worker. The farmer can sell his land; he also has credit at the bank; normally he has an established place in community life and access to the decisionmaking process. Humanly speaking, the plight of the worker still demands priority attention.

Farm workers, although in sympathy with small farmers (who tend also to be laborers), are now saying: "we will not tolerate any longer a situation where your survival in business. is purchased by our poverty and the poverty of our children." With concerned churchmen the workers would press small farmers to organize themselves for effective collective bargaining at the market place. Ralph Kittelson, the National Organizing Director for the National Farmers Organization (NFO) has said that farmers must stand up for their rights or the problems will grow.29 He and the NFO are organizing farmers not to oppose the legitimate aspirations of the workers but for effective use of power in the marketing of their products. The NFO is now active in California. In the CMM we have argued that if farmers would organize for the sake of a fair price at the market place and would articulate their demands and their strategy, churchmen would support their efforts. This, after all, is what the workers are trying to dohelp themselves through the strength of their own organization.

6) Mr. Grant quotes with satisfaction the anti-strike conclusions of Vancouver Mayor Thomas J. Campbell. However, Mayor Campbell is an exception to the general rule. Starting as far back as December 1965, distinguished visitors to Delano have generally supported the reasonable demands of the workers, even when their travel expenses have been paid for by the growers or the chain Two (2) Minneapolis-St. Paul clergymen Father Edward Flahavan & the Rev. Wm. Merriman, sent by the chain stores in their area to become "weekend experts" on the growers side of the strike insisted on examining all sides and returned home to testify that the Calif. grape growers were anti-union and racist in their attitude toward workers. An editorial in the St. Paul Dispatch Pioneer Press then accused the ministers of being "overnight experts" (i.e., the wrong kind of overnight expert).

A three man Fact-Finding Committee from Toronto composed of Mr. Ron Haggart, a reporter for the Toronto Telegram Reporter; Mr. Wm. Archer, former City Controller and the Rev. Edgar File of the United Church of Canada carefully spent blocks of time with growers, workers, union leaders and public officials. They concluded that "the over-riding issue in the California grape dispute is the right of collective bargaining which is being denied to the farm workers. From our examination it is clear that the table grape growers are unwilling to allow their workers to choose their own representatives and let them bargain freely for themselves. ... we are satisfied that the UFWOC has substantial support among the vineyard workers in the Delano area."30

Rabbis Jacob Lantz and Judea Miller of Boston spent a week in California examining all sides of the grape controversy. They concluded that the strike was both real and legitimate and called on their constituents to support the farm workers. Rabbi Miller in a report to his congregation made

The Company began recruiting strikebreakers from Mexico and elsewhere and the struggle was on. The boycott against Giumarra's grapes began in the fall of 1967. Other growers loaned their labels to Giumarra to help him minimize the pressure of the boycott. In the spring and summer of 1968, the strike spread to Coachella Valley and southern Kern County. There are now 42 strikes certified by the U.S. Dept. of Labor. Also in the spring and summer of 1968, as mentioned above, the offer for elections was made to all table grape growers. In the face of the unified resistance of the industry to any conversations with organized workers, the boycott was expanded to include all California table grapes. Church groups, unions and public officials all over the country have given their support to the boycott.

The hard reality is that the workers need and want organization and collective bargaining and their employers are resisting this change with all the considerable power at their command.25 The industry is attempting to cloud that reality by talking about "outsiders" and "labor professionals" and by stating that the "real workers" don't want Chavez and UF-WOC. But who are the "real workers"? Mrs. Josephine Gabaldon (mentioned by Grant as a "real worker" opposed to Chavez) is not a field worker but a crew boss. Jose Mendoza (also mentioned by Grant) is a shoe salesman hired by the National Right-to-Work Committee to represent himself as a worker and to spread anti-union propaganda. He makes speeches all over the country but has no solid organizational base at home, no following among farm workers and is just the most recent example of the willingness of some minority people to sell themselves to the very forces that keep their brothers poor and powerless.

## Do Workers Want a Union?

But the claim is made that the workers don't want Chavez and UFWOC?

Why then don't employers agree to fair elections supervised by a neutral party so the workers can vote their will? Employers argue that they know what their workers want and don't feel the need for an election. But if they are so sure why not have an election and thus destroy the effectiveness of the boycott? And how can they be so sure since workers have voted for the union every time they have had a chance? In the three secret ballot elections and the five card check elections held to date, the workers have in every case voted to be represented by UFWOC.26 These elections are the only hard, public evidence we have that indicates the will of the workers. Perhaps grape growers do know the will of their workers and are, for that reason, resisting the only fair and free way of determining that will.



Cesar Chavez and the workers: "We have something the rich do not own. We have our own bodies and spirits and the justice of our cause as our weapons."

---George Ballis photo

I will conclude with comments on some of Mr. Grant's "facts and conclusions" that have not been dealt with above:

1) Mr. Grant claims that "it was not local farm workers who were picketing" (in 1965 and 1966). The striking farm workers have asked for and received help from church groups, civil rights groups, unions and others. They do not apologize for that nor do we think that anyone is an "outsider" to the problem. But to state that the picket line was composed of or dominated by nonfarm workers is a complete distortion of reality. CMM staff and many other churchmen were on those picket lines and watched Delano

- farm workers walk out of the fields and develop roving picket lines to communicate the Huelga (strike) message to other workers.
- 2) Mr. Grant states the "90% of the more than 5,000 pickers hired at the peak of the harvest in Delano are residents of the area." He documents this by referring to a booklet published by The South Central Farmer's Committee - a Committee composed of struck Delano grow-Independent research carried on before the Delano strike indicates that approximately 60% of the grape harvest workers in Kern County are migrants.<sup>27</sup> Almost the full 100% of the harvest work force are seasonal workers-as opposed to year-round hired hands. Whether migrant or local, seasonal workers are locked in the same poverty, have similar aspirations for their children and have the same need for organizational strength and the protections of a contract.
- 3) Mr. Grant says the harvest season lasts for four months and that grape pickers can work almost all year-round. Dept. of Employment figures show that the labor *needs* in Kern County (where Delano is located) fluctuate greatly even during the harvest period:<sup>28</sup>

December 2, 1967	200 workers	(harvest)
Dec. 18, 1967—Jan	. 27, 1968 3200 workers	(pruning)
February 24, 1968	400 workers	(pruning)
March 30, 1968	0	
May 13—June 1, 1	968 3500 workers	(thinning)
July 13, 1968	800 workers	
Aug. 7-Sept. 2, 19	68 6000 workers	(harvest)
Sept. 21, 1968	1500 workers	(harvest)
November 23, 1968	50 workers	(harvest)

A small percentage of workers work year-round. The vast majority of seasonal workers (migrant and loregular rest periods; toilets and sanitary drinking water may or may not be provided. Farm workers go to work not knowing how long the day will be or how many days of work there will be in that week. Workers are laid off in the middle of the day, in the middle of the week, for days or weeks at a time with no notice and no clear indication of when work will be available. If a male worker is told to show up for work at 6 A.M. and the equipment is not ready or the trees are wet and he does not work until 10 A.M., he is not paid for those 4 hours. Speed-ups and abusive supervision are all too common. Farm workers can be fired at any time without explanation. There are no established channels for grievances. many who will dispute these realities can point to examples of better wages and working conditions but their examples do not represent the experiences of the majority of unorganized farm workers in California and the The farm workers' powerlessness on the job crushes his dignity and leaves him no alternative but resentment and suffering. Justice demands that there be a change-for the sake of workers, the industry and the larger community.

## Change Through Organization

But how will that change come about? Should workers wait for their employers to make the needed changes? In California they have already been waiting for 100 years. Should they wait for Congress to pass legislation that will protect their right to bargain with their employers? All farm workers in our country have now been waiting 33 years for that day.<sup>22</sup> Workers could leave agriculture. But what would be the alternatives in the city for a man with farm labor skills?

In 1962 Cesar Chavez made a decision to do something about the conditions of farm workers. He left his job as an organizer for the Community Service Organization (CSO) and moved to Delano, California. He and

his wife and 8 children lived on their minimal savings and on sporadic field work earnings while Cesar began to build a self-supporting organization of farm workers that would in time be strong enough to bargain with employers for improved wages and working conditions. By September 1965, the NFWA had about 2,000 family members, nearly half of them in the Delano area. There was a credit union and a death benefit insurance plan tied to the \$3.50 per month dues.<sup>23</sup>

Allan Grant who is the highly paid professional spokesman for a four billion dollar a year industry<sup>24</sup> implies that Chavez is a money and power hungry labor professional. Cesar Chavez is an experienced and skilled organizer. He is also a dedicated Christian who is pouring out the substance of his life in an effort to achieve a



"Farm workers and supporters gather to break bread with Cesar Chavez at conclusion of his 25 day fast for non-violence" —George Ballis photo

new kind of dignity for workers. After 16 years as an organizer he lives in a small, four-room house in Delano. He does not own a car. Since the strike began in 1965 he has received no salary. He and his family live like all of the Delano strikers; \$5.00 per week spending money, food from the strike kitchen or store and basic bills, e.g., rent and utilities paid by the Union.

In September 1965, the now famous Delano Grape Strike began. It was at first a joint effort by the Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee (AWOC) of the AFL-CIO and the independent National Farm Workers Association (NFWA). The two or-

ganizations have now merged into the UFWOC of the AFL-CIO, with Cesar Chavez as director. As a result of the Delano strike and the several boycotts that have accompanied the strike, there have been union representation elections, bargaining and contracts with 10 wine grape growers. The aspirations and the organizational energies of the workers are now focussed on table grape growers.

In May and June of 1967, UFWOC carried on an organizing campaign among the workers of Giumarra Vineyards Corporation (12,500 acres, approximately half of the acreage in table grapes). In June, UFWOC sent a registered letter to Giumarra stating that the Union represented Giumarra's workers and asking for a meeting to discuss a union representation election. The Company did not respond. The Union then sent a telegram, asked the State Conciliation Service to arrange a meeting, and through other independent parties tried to get a meeting with the Company. The Company refused. Note that the workers were not asking for recognition or for immediate bargaining. They were only asking for a meeting to discuss fair procedures for a secret ballot election that would determine the will of the workers. The Company would not even discuss such an election and since that time has resisted all mediation efforts by church groups and others.

This same offer to discuss election procedures has been made to all table grape growers in California - large and small. Without a single exception (so far) table grape growers have refused to meet with representatives of organized workers to discuss elections or other issues having to do with representation and bargaining. In Jan. 1969 UFWOC offered to meet with employers even if there were only one agenda item: the effects of chemical pesticides on workers.

On August 3, 1967, after two months of trying to meet with Giumarra a strike was called by UFWOC. I watched 80-90% of the field workers leave their jobs to join the strike.

the following comments: ". . . we toured the vineyards, spoke to growers and farm workers, to representatives of industry and of the Union, including Cesar Chavez. It is our conclusion that there definitely is a strike there . . . Despite contentions by the growers that the conditions of the farm workers in that region are better than those in other regions in the nation, still the conditions that we did find were wretched. We have studied the entire situation and find this to be a moral question. The exploitation and dehumanization of other human beings for the sake of profit is a religious issue."31

## Non-Violent Social Change

Many churchmen sympathize with the plight of the workers but balk at unions and boycotts. They worry about strikes at harvest; but UFWOC has agreed to no-strike clauses in all its ten contracts. They are concerned about the ability of the Union to service the contracts; but the wine growers under contract have testified to the integrity and sense of responsibility demonstrated by UFWOC.32 As fellow Christians I urge you to put yourselves in the workers' place. How can they change unjust conditions without organizing and pressing their demands? What else is a union than an organization of farm workers seeking changes through collective bargaining? They have asked their employers to discuss representation elections and been refused. They cannot call on the legal machinery of the NLRB because the law excludes them. Having sought changes through discussion and negotiation and been rebuked, what alternative do they have other than to apply pressure through strike and boycott? The workers are asking for a reasonable thing: collective bargaining. They are pressing their demands non-violently.

What will happen if farm workers do not get support from men of good will? Fresno Mayor Floyd Hyde is worried: "We have left the poor people of the (San Joaquin) Valley no alternative and there are growing signs they realize it. We are pushing them toward violence." But Cesar Chavez is determined to liberate his brothers

without resorting to violence: "one drop of human blood is worth more than all the contracts. We'll use strikes and we'll use boycotts to get recognition, but we'll wait as long as we must to get contracts without violence."<sup>34</sup>

Will militant non-violence succeed in bringing a measure of justice to the "factories in the fields?" Can Cesar Chavez and the pioneer farm workers with him maintain the momentum of their struggle and expand the dignity and raise the hopes of farm workers throughout the nation? The answer depends very much on what churches and churchmen do. Farm workers need our concrete help. With the rest of the world they are calling on us to be servants.

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He called on nearly 3.4007 strikers to return to their jobs with Salinas Valley growers, who have signed contracts with the teamsters, as evidence of his good faith. The strikes were called

to protest the Teamster pacts.

Msgr. George Higgins of Washington, D.C., representing the bishops committee, will start meetings today, with the growers, the two unions and other churchmen in an enort to make the transition peacefully.

If the growers refuse, Chavez said, "we will have no alternative but to take up the struggle again. I hope it will not be necessa-

"We think that if they meet with us, they will find we don't have horns or tails, and we can be dealt with like human be-

ings. But it is up to them."
About two hundred growers have signed contracts or memorandums of agreement within the last two weeks with the Teamsters to avoid unionization by Chavez and the UF-WOC, which is regarded by many growers as far more radical than the Teamsters Union.

Binding Contract

Anthony Greich, president of the world's largest strawberry farm, Pic 'n Pac, said that despite the peace agreement signed by Chavez and William Grami, for the Teamsters, "we still say we have a legal, binding contract for five years with the Teamsters."

Greich said his firm has had contracts with the Teamsters covering nonfield workers in packing sheds and other phases of operations for nearly 20 years.

The new contracts with the reamsters covering field workers came within days after the UFWOC reached agreement with the majority of California: table grape growers to end that five-year struggle to unionize grape pickers.

22,000 Members

It is estimated that with the grape pickers, the fledgling UFWOC had about 22,000 members. making it the most successful farm workers union in U.S. history. .

But the Teamsters' agreements cover at least 40,000 field workers, and v some sources estimate the total number in the peak growing seasons will be closer to 70,000.

"All the contracts have union shop clauses in them, which means that those who work for a unionized grower will automatically belong to the union recognized by that grower.

This means that UF-WOC could soon have a membership of between 62,000 and 92,000, depending on the actual number of workers covered.

By 6 a.m. Wednesday, the agreement was reached. It provides:

Neither union will raid (take members away) from) the other, and the Teamsters will not organize field workers.

#### UFWOC Pledge

—The UFWOC promises not to move in on workers where the Teamsters now have contracts, such as canneries, creameries, frozen food and processing plants, produce markets, warehouses and professional truck driving operations.

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Chavez Given Clear Field by Teamsters

BY HARRY BERNSTEIN Times Labor Welter

Cesar Chavez' farm workers union Wednesday signed a peace treaty with the Teamsters and as a result will probably gain 40,-000 to 70,000 memberstwo to three times its present membership.

The latest breakthrough for Chavez' AFL-CIO United Farm Workers Organizing Committee was brought about primarily through the intervention of a Roman Catholic bishops' committee appointed by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops.

The Teamsters Union agreed, in effect, to leave the organizing of field workers to UFWOC, and informally agreed that all recent fieldworker contracts won by the Teamsters will be turned over to the farm workers' union.

However, the nearly 200 fruit and vegetable growers who signed contracts. or agreed to recognize the Teamsters as bargaining agent for their field workers must approve the plan. They will meet with the churchmen and both

Chavez, who began a fast: Tuesday to protest the "conspiratorial action" of the Teamsters and growers, said he will continue the fast for several days in "Thanksgiving" and to keep up pressure on the growers.

They agreed to disagree on certain gray areas," such as drivers of field and shed trucks, or workers who process food in the field.

The churchmen will be, in effect, a party to the agreement and will help police any disagreements that arise under the pact.

And both sides agreed not to picket any company without the written consent of the other when both have contracts with the firm.

This is a critical part of the agreement since the Teamsters said it involved the major reason for their moving into UFWOC jurisdiction.

The Teamsters contend they started organizing field workers to protect their 60,000 members employed in canneries and other food processing operations, who could be thrown out of their jobs by a TFWOC strike among field workers.

The pledge to get an agreement before putting out picket lines satisfactorily resolved the potential danger of an "irresponsible". WEWOC picket line, one meanister said.

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"June 21, 1970 Los Angeles, Calif  $\{U\}$ "Saturday, June 20th, 1970, Hungarian Hall on South St. Andrews Place, So. Calif. District Committee meeting was held from its usual 10:00 AM until -.  $\{V\}$ Ben Dobbs, b6 b7C Dorothy Healy, & others were present.  $\{U\}$ gave a report from the National office. A National Committee report keynoting the recent Cambodia Crises & the Party's <u>invalveneut</u> in that decision. "Aparently Gus Hall feels that the Party is not playing the role that it should play, & called our efforts "routinism". "There was also a discussion & analysis of the This of course was a total wishout elections locally. said that the defeat for Left - Progressive circles. must be studies - suprisingly the Party locally was praised for its role in the (U) Can the party support & how - what about refusal to support the grape strikers & Farm workers. b6 b7C "There were many interesting combinations for Governor was & even the case of not apparently a pleasant development for him. Even though he viewed the primary defeat of Yorty as significant sties all & all he wonders if the progressive forces can be The question rallied behind the lack of of Education was viewed somewhat differently. There was nothing but praise for Riles & people were urged to work to the utmost to get him elected. y र्र्ष्ट्रिक <u>ा अमिल</u> defeat of was likened to the & his apparent refusal to support tags of . pe answer he had obtained from when he had when he had met b7C with him for the purpose of suhing the support for had said at the time that he did not wish to get involved with other candidates.  $\{U\}$ 

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"Mrs. Medgar Evers situation was discussed & of course the Party views this a  $\underline{a}$  extremely important (U) election."

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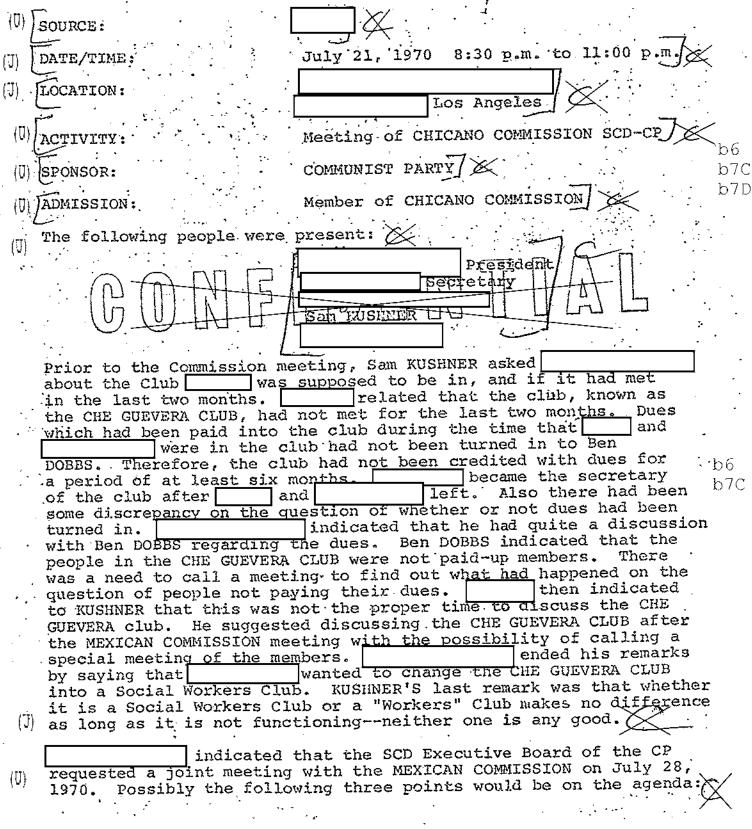
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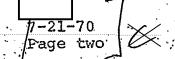
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then suggested that he would cover the polifical situation, the Defense the Peace March, and and Repression in the Mexican community. This was agreed to.

then indicated that he intended to criticize the District for the following two political reasons: (1) There has been no follow-up on his report which was reprinted in POLITICAL AFFAIRS. (2) The National Board of the CP has in no way followed up on the resolutions which were passed at the 19th Convention on the Mexican question

felt there was still much chauvinism being shown on the Mexican situation in the CP. For example, there had been a gathering of COMMUNISTS in Denver sometime in January 1970. b6 Several thousands of dollars had been spent to bring in people from New Mexico and from Texas and like people from the National Headquarters. Nothing had been accomplished at this meeting. No one had attended from the Southern or Northern There was a National Chicano .Commission formed California areas. consisting of one person from New York, one person from Colorado, from Texas, one person from a woman named and one person from Southern California. New Mexico,

At no time has there been any consultation on what the structuring of the National Chicano Commission would be. There had been a meeting called for Albuquerque on July 11, 1970, but this was cancelled with a vague date being set for approximately one month felt that due to skulduggery that is being played by the National Office of the CP, he just might take the trip to Albuquerque and go visit relatives as long as they are paying the way. What he most likely will do is take his wife along and make a vacation out of it. He feels that the National Office of the CP is trying to move the theoretical center from Southern California to Albuquerque or Denver where the Center would have more control of the membership. The membership of the Chicano b7C Commission in Southern California has always looked to Dorothy HEALEY for leadership and the National Center of the CP feels that HEALEY still has quite a bit of influence on some of the Mexican members.

There was then a short report on the August 29 Chicano Moratorium. feeling that the August 29 Moratorium offered the CP quite an opportunity. It offers the opportunity.



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for the Party to distribute a leaflet at the Moratorium dealing with (1) Peace; (2) Defense and repression in the community.

VARELA continued that the Moratorium Committee has been working out of the office of Congressman George BROWN on Brooklyn Avenue, but now that he will no longer have these offices they most likely will have to move. The Moratorium Committee expects to continue after August 29 and become a Defense Committee dealing with the killing of Mexicans in the United States and relating it to the killing of Mexicans in the war in Vietnam.

There was then a discussion on the MAPA Convention which will be held July 31, August 1 and 2 at the Airport Marina Hotel in Inglewood. It was felt that since MAPA is the only political arm of the Mexican people in an organized manner, that some CP members should attend, namely, and background and background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background background backgroun

Every effort should be made to influence the Convention to endorse Ricardo ROMO who is running on the PEACE & FREEDOM ticket for Governor of California. MONTOYA should be endorsed in the 50th Assembly District and CHICONE (phonetic) in the San Diego area for Assemblyman. We should not try to endorse other races. The possibility exists that MAPA may endorse just these three Mexican candidates. After the election there will be a movement for Mexicans to take over the PEACE & FREEDOM Party. This could be very easily done. Possibly its name will be changed to RAZA UNIDA. This is being considered because the P&F Party is already on the ballot and the only task would be taking over the COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE of the P&F Party plus changing its name.

The last point on the agenda dealt with the recent killing of two Mexican nationals by TAPD. stated that when killings took place, he and immediately got a hold of the four individuals who were left in the apartment. The names of the individuals are as follows:

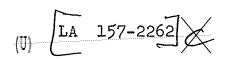
further stated they had been in contact with these four individuals on Saturday. It had been his idea to take these four be individuals to the home of who is a reporter for the LA RAZA Newspaper. Just purchased a new home which is b7C hidden and a place where the four individuals would have been safe until statements could be obtained from them.

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	as their attorney since he is the attorney for the estate of (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name), owner of the apartments. (possible name) has the City of L.A. under the Civil Rights Act. (possible name) said he has met with the said has tried to help in developing this case, but (possible name) intention is to book the City of L.A. for approximately \$1 million. He has instructed the four individuals not to speak to anyone. Prior to these instructions Sam KUSHNER related that Channel 34 had interviewed the four individuals. There were interviews with the four individuals and they appeared on Channel 34. The fellow with the broken leg, who was shot in the head, sat in the Police Station for 1-1/2 hours before medical attention was obtained. Secondly, one of the fellows did not have his pants on and was taken to the police station and booked in that condition—without his	C.
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	Sam KUSHNER related that the tapes which were made by Channel334 on this case have been made available to him. He related to the Commission that is now working for Channel 34. He is also writing a weekly column for the TIMES. He has proven to be very understanding and has met with Sam KUSHNER on several occasion some of the questions concerning the Mexican community. on July 20 and had two further stated, he met with drinks with him to celebrate his clean bill of health. It is receiving some criticism from the TIMES Staff for writing such its receiving some criticism from the TIMES Staff for writing such its receiving some criticism from the TIMES just hired a new young Mexican writer they have. The TIMES just hired a new young Mexican writer who will be doing some writing on the Mexican community. Writer who will be doing some writing on the Mexican community.    main strength came from being on Channel 34. Sam KUSHNER indicated that much of the information which he has received concerning what took place after the shooting had been obtained from Channel 34 and	C io:
•	further related that he had acted as interpreter between	, ,,,
:	further related that he had acted intend to follow and the four survivors.  and the four survivors.  through on what is going to take place regarding the four men.  Their main concern was that if possible these four men should become a cause celebre and should speak out on what happened. They should not remain silent as wants them to. This is one of the struggles that is now commencing to take place between and Attorney and further	ae i

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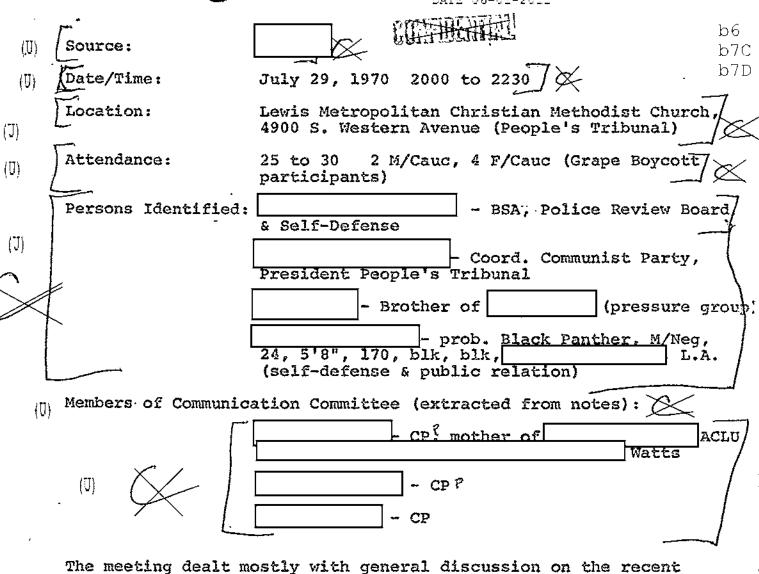
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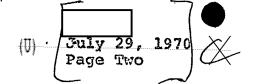
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The meeting dealt mostly with general discussion on the recent police killings open to members of the People's Tribunal and the floor. It later broke up into two groups, each group located within different closed sections of the room. Source was involved in the group concerned with

The main issues brought up were protesting (disturbing) the Watts Festival and picketing the 103rd Street Police Station during the festival. It was felt that a Saturday, during the day would be ideal since the "pigs" would take advantage of the darkness, also you would have the greatest masses of people. The people will be informed soon by leaflets as to when to picket the festival, before or during it's opening. a general discussion, the second group concentrated on forming a People's Police Review Board, block-to-block self defense committee and appointing a chairman and secretary for the Tribunal. Later it was brought out that the tribunal lacked the proper legal represen-The self-defense committee is now tation due to lack of funds. being formed and has seven members organizing such a committee. This committee will be concerned with both physical and constitutional power in neighborhoods. The march in protest of the two recent Chicano killings by seven policemen will take place in East



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Los Angeles 8-8-70. Further discussion as to duties of the committees involved in Watts Festival will take place Saturday and there will also be discussion on a Pressure Committee aimed at political officials.

Next Meeting:

Saturday, 8-1-70, 1100 hours

4900 S. Western Avenue (Source will attend)

Telephone calls:

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NOTE: There will be a wide news media coverage concerning the protest march of the Watts Eestival given to all black organizations. The BSA will publish their views in the next issue of BSA paper.

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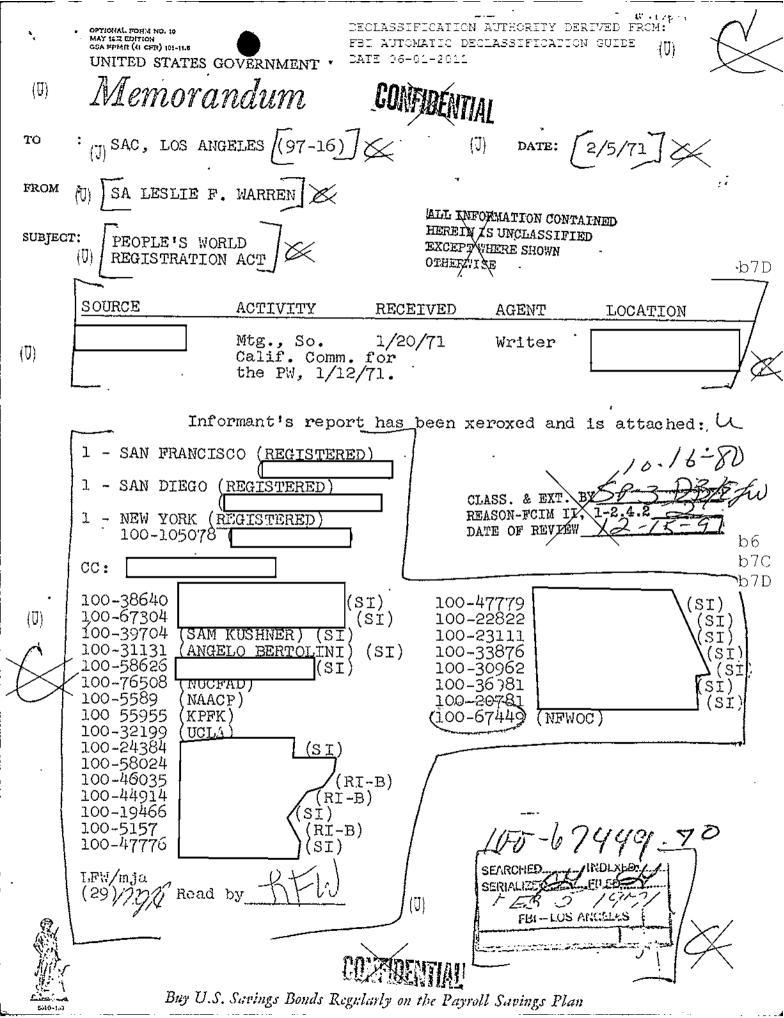
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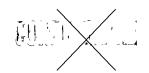


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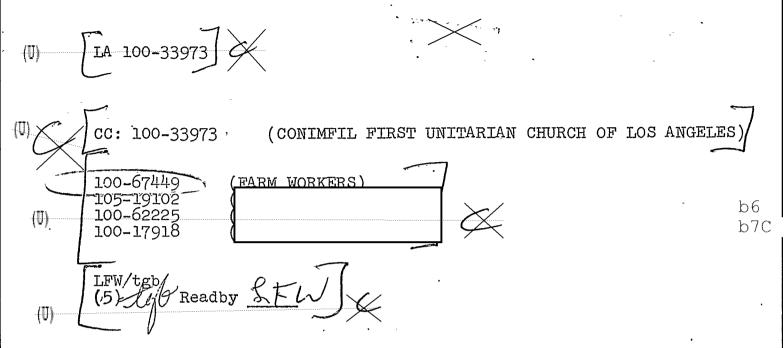
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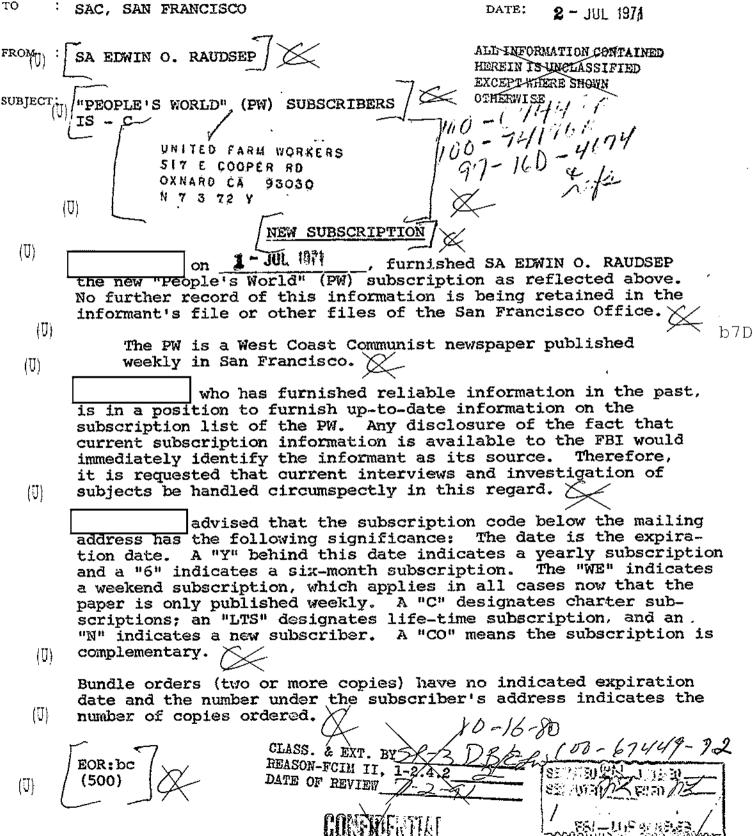
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Because pressure from strike and boycott, two large wine companies have agreed to consider the needs of their workers as they look to the future. But <u>SEAGRAMS</u>, owner of 6,800 acres of wine grapes, does not seem to care; they plan to mechanize their workers out of their livelihoods.

The United Farm Workers are beginning a nationwide boycott of <u>SEAGRAMS</u> products: Seagrams 7-Crown, Seagrams V.O., Paul Masson Wines.

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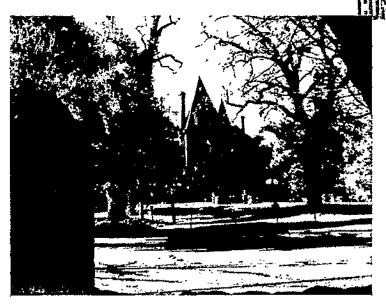
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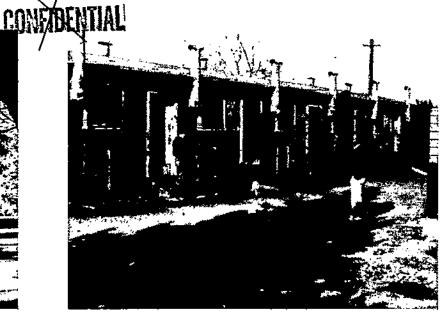
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Grape pickers in the Napa Valley are poor and live in miserable housing. The stark contrast between the headquarters of one Napa Valley winery, Beringer, and the housing for Beringer farm workers makes this point obvious. You can help Napa farm workers improve these conditions by NOT shopping at Ralphs until Ralphs STOPS SELL-ING Beringer and the other Napa Valley wines:

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Only when these wineries receive cancelations of orders from major buyers, like Ralphs, will they negotiate with their farm labor. By continuing to sell these wines, Ralphs helps perpetuate the poverty of farm workers.

Let Ralphs know that you disapprove of their company policy. Please don't buy the 9 Napa wines and <u>PLEASE</u> don't shop at Ralphs until they stop selling these wines.

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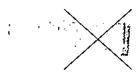
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### BY BELLA STUMBO

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She's a blonde, robust milkmaid of a girl, 23 and pigtailed, who spends her weekends brazenly accosting strangers on hot sidewalks in front of Los Angeles supermarkets.

On weekdays, she works out of a jammed, cluttered little office downtown, surrounded by people whose language she rarely understands, whose cause isn't her own and whose distrust still occasionally surfaces.

Her private life is communal chaos, lived with several others in a low-rent, rundown house in the smoggy inner city where plumbing is bad, paint peels and roaches thrive. She never buys books, sees movies or eats dinher out hecause she only gets paid \$10 a week-\$5

or groceries and \$5 for personal expenses. Such is the austere lot of Margie Coons, another

nard-marching volunteer in the sprawling Anglo army behind Cesar Chavez. And she is typical.

There are about 25 others like her, male and fenale, in the Los Angeles office of the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee (OFWOC), plus about 350-400 more scattered through some 30 other leading American cities—wherever there are arm workers to organize, supermarkets to boycott and groundwork to lay.

Like Margie Coons, a 1971 graduate of the State University of New York at Buffalo, most of the

volunteers are young (20-25), most are either college graduates or dropouts and, almost overwhelmingly, they are the sons and daughters of America's white, middle-class, typically Protestant families-youths whose social consciousness has, at least temporarily, found its foil in the 10-year-old cause of poverty-ridden, predominately Chicano. farm workers from another, alien world.

Within the hierarchical structure of the UF-.WOC, they hold positions ranging from top-level administrative jobs down to cooks, filing clerks and secretaries. Perhaps most important, they also constitute the backbone of the supermarket boycolls, lanning out each weekend to exhort snoppers

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In the course of it all, they have managed to become the focal point of controversy within the UFWOC itself. A few of Chayez's Chicano lieutenants - most motably the former vice president, Larry Itliong-have complamed publicly, some-times bitterly, that the union relies too heavily on Anglo volunteers at the expense of Chicano workers. A later than marched down a super-

Foes of the union, naturally enough, have latched onto those snatches of dissent, implying that the volunteer brigade just might be doing the cause more harm than good.

It is an implication that,

evidently, hurts.

"Sure, some people insist we're just out slumming, having a good time and easing our suffering social consciences for a while. But it's just not true," declared Margie Coons on a recent Saturday as she market sidewalk in East Los Angeles.

"Volunteers who aren't serious simply don't stick around very long. The lifestyle is too austere and there's too much hard work involved. But those who do stay-and some people stay for years—are seriously dedicated to helping farm workers. And I think most of the Chicanos who work with us appreciate that, just as Cesar does."

· It was a hot day and the sun had already started to blister her freckled nose, but it couldn't have mattered less. As she squinted into the sun, sorching for stray shoppers, Margie Coons looked religiously ready to march through hellfire and brimstone to make herself and her crusade perfectly clear.

"None of the volunteers consider it any big deal to live on \$5 a week. Sure, there are hassles-you cant buy books, you ration cigarets and ride buses. But if you don't live the same kind of life as the poor people you're trying to help, why should they

trust you?"

She paused, reflecting Book it Line

anew on the truth of it. Then, with a slight touch of pride, she added, "That's Cesar's philosophy. And he lives on \$5 a week too, you know, just like everybody else. And he works harder than anybody."

Margie Coons, like many other volunteers, makes no secret of the fact that it's the charismatic pesonality of Cesar Chavez that accounts for much of their

devotion to duty.

"The minute you meet him, you just know he's special, he's so patient and forceful at the same time," said Ms. Coons, a shy, sunny smile covering her face as she abandoned the effort to put it into adequate words. But, she added, a trip to La Paz, the Chavez

headquarters near Keene, is a journey to Mecca for most volunteers. She's been there once.

"The name is perfect it's so peaceful. And once you visit it you just feel, well, more tuned in to the whole movement."

Apart from her open devotion to Chavez, Margie Coons has no doubt the UFWOC movement contains enough merit in itself to keep her involved possibly for a lifetime—or until every single farm worker in the United States has been organized into the union, whichever comes first.

(At present, the UFWOC claims a membership of about 30,000, primarily in California, where there are some 400,000 farm

workers. Of the nation's estimated 2.5 million farm workers, only a fraction has been organized elsewhere, mainly in Texas and Florida.)

"Since I joined the farm workers, I've visited tarm labor camps all over the state and it's horrible how those people live," she continued, her face cloud-

ing with the memory.
Whole families crammed into tiny cardboard shacks, sometimes with no plumbing, .no lights, no sanitation of any kind. And they work so hard that they look like old men and women while they're still young."

She shifted her heavy bundle of leaflets and eyed an old woman slowly ap-

proaching.

Did you know the average life span of a Chicano. age family income is only thrilled." \$2,300 a year?"

proaching missionary fervor, and she knew it.

"It's just that you tend to get so involved," she grinned, half apologetically. "Especially when you've made friends with some of the farm workers on picket lines or visited them in the fields. Like some of the lettuce pickers. When we got contracts for them, they got a raise from 26½.cents a box to 4012 cents.

"Later, I ran into some of the same guys at another boycott and I just wantfield worker is only 49 ed to cry in happiness for years. And that the averthem. They were so

. . It's called "animo" Her voice was fast ap- among the field workers,

she says. It means "the spirit of brotherhood."

But the old lady was about to vanish into the supermarket. Ms. Coons dashed over, friendly, polite, smiling—but none-theless firmly intercepting her prey at the door.

There followed a brief moment of soft cajolery, as Ms. Coons pleased her case. The woman stared in bafflement. Like many who stroll the streets of East Los Angeles, she doesn't understand English. And like many of Chavez's volunteers, Margie Coons doesn't understand much Spanish.

So she thrust a Spanishlanguage flyer at the woman, who read it smiled broadly and then signed her name to a letter, prewritten in Spanish.

Ms. Coons bounced back, grinning at her small vic-

tory. "Communication does get to be a problem sometimes. I'm learning Spanish but I'm still not too good."

· 'Flood of Letters

The Chavez legions weren't boycotting stores, as usual, that Saturday, she explained. Instead, they were marshaling a nationwide flood of letters to GOP national Chairman Sen. Robert Dole, protesting what the UFWOC, from Cesar Chavez on down, is convinced is a Republican plot to destroy the farm workers union by stripping it of the ali-important\_right to boycott supermarkets.

The controversy arose when the National Labor Relations Board unexpectedly filed a petition in Fresno, seeking an injunction against the boycott on grounds that since some of the workers in the labor dispute are employed inside the wineries — not in the fields—they are covered by the restrictions of federal labor laws.

Traditionally, the NLRB has reasoned otherwise. Despite the arguments of growers and employers, the panel has ruled for the past five years that farm workers are exempt from federal law.

·Consequently, the UF-WOC claims the new reversal in NLRB thinking is merely a politically inspired Republican move, directed by Nixon-appointed NLRB general counsel Peter Nash to appease employers and destroy the union. The NLRB denies any such motivation.

(A hearing on the petition, originally scheduled for today, was postponed pending negotiations between the NLRB and UF-WOC attorneys. Wednesday, Marshall Garz, national UF WOC boycett coordinator at La Paz, attributed the legal delay to "the flood of more than one million letters that's poured into Dole's office" since the nationwide campaign began last month.)

"If the injunction is granted, we'll just find ways to work around it. They can't stop us that easily;" fumed Ms. Coops, her sunburned face turning beet red.

For one thing, only the so-called primary boycott would be legally banned—secondary boycotting would still be allowed.

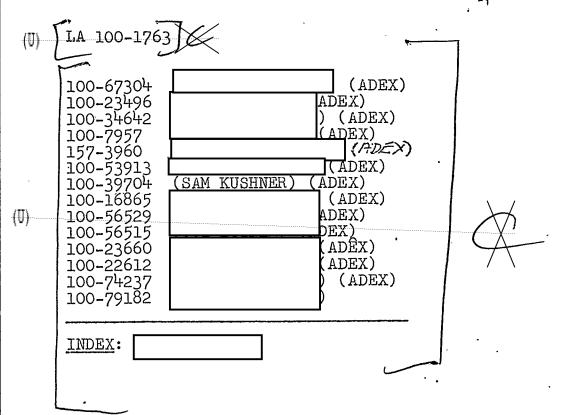
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Essentially, that means farm workers couldn't urge shoppers to buy at different stores but they could still ask them to purchase only those farm products bearing the familiar UFWOC black eagle label, once inside the store.

"We'll start campaigning with all our might against Republicans, too," she said, looking as ominous as she probably ever had.

"And we'll stage one of the biggest protest demonstrations in history at the San Diego convention. We'll pour in from all over the country, farm workers, union workers and sympathizers — maybe as many as 250,000 of us will be there to let Republicans know they can't take away our right to boycott. It's our most important weapon."

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It was reported to me that on March 11, 1972, 10:20 A. M., the District Committee, Southern District, Communist Party met at the Hungarian Cultural Center, 1256 South St. Andrews Place, Los Angeles, (Walifornia./

The agenda was as follows: The meeting was chaired by stated with emphasis placed b6 was the first speaker. on industrial concentration, that many youths have gone into industry, b7C and apparently doing well over the country, especially in Alabama and recommended that special committees and commissions be set up in our district to carry out various aspects of this kind, of work. That unlike any time before, since the "thirties", the influence (Mr the working class in the convention was just good.)

Elections - Ben Dobbs stated the election campaigns is the most stormy issues in the next eight months. That the fight in Pennsylvania and Ohio was high, one as never seen in twenty to thirty years. drop everything else and work in the elections. Every member must do something. We know that everybody can't come out in the open. So we deal with people based on what they can do. New stages in the election arena has been reached. We now know who is running and can adopt our policies accordingly. The party must struggle for an independent position, and committ ourselves to our own candidates. We will have to, in the future do a higher standard of work to improve the image of the party. From now (Until June these are our candidates to support: b6 b7C

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The campaign committee will meet on Thursday night coming at the Hungarian Cultural Center, 1251 South St. Andrews Place, Los Angeles, Cabecause of what she stands lifornia. We must campaign for for. We must pay attention to the San Diego Coalition, also the Miami Several proposals were made. Generally to immediately establish a campaign committee consisting of at least one person from each To set up a party financial drive, and that the commission hold **b**6 discussions to impliment this policy. We must join the campaign now to b7C force the government to change its posture. Twenty five thousand farm workers are organizing to march on the San Diego Republican Convention. A member of the Board of Education Riverside County made a statement that Negroes are genetically inferior. This kind of racist statement, one of the worst we must take notice. We have a League Candidate, and running in the 31st against

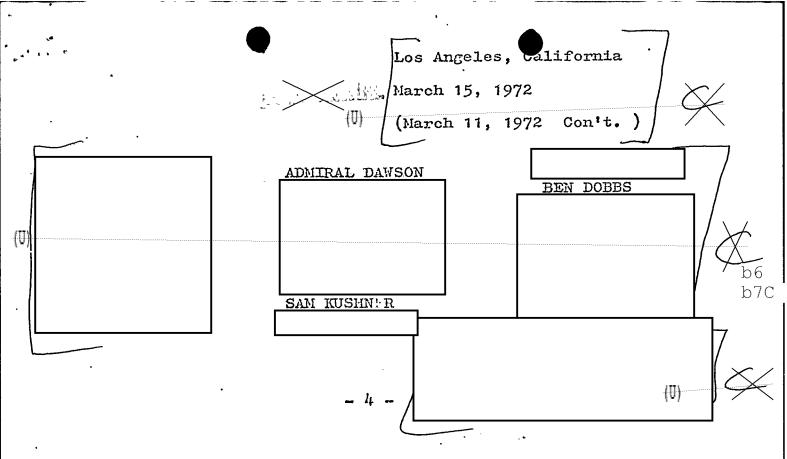
has already sewed up all the support in that area.

Los Angeles, Alifornia (U)(March 11, 1972 individual, he is not so bad as the other candidate. The ILMU, also Railroad Unions is involved with a deal involving Workmen Compensation that an employer not be subjected to suit if an employee is injured on Assemblyman P. Prilio is sponsoring a bill to repeal same. (UA. D. 468. b6 stated that the Nixon-Kissinger China visit is just a b7C That Saigon has received one thousand planes and three carriers fraud. to use against Indo-China. While cutting down on ground forces, Nixon will seize upon this to escallate the air attacks, and also to win elec-And after he is reelected, he will escallate the whole tion concessions. war again. The United States have many forces evaluating the empact of "The Nixon China Trip", on the world. To read Pomeroy's article "Guide-That we should settle for nothing lines to Peace", in the People World. less. That Mr. Nixon have problems and wants time. This is indicated by his various visit schedules. NPAC CONFERENCE \_ The conference to be held on April 16th in a. honor of the Chicano moritorium. A special appeal is made to Chicanos and Blacks. We must support the entire peace plan including this rally. We must make this rally such a success, that it will discredit the rally of the 22nd by the trotsky. We can't fight the trotskys, they're too large in numbers, but we must propagandize and discredit them as much as we can to expose them for what they are. They are vicious and caused much disruption in England, and now the same person is here. We must alert all our organizations to engage in this propagandizing. We must make "May 13th San Jose Actions", the West Coast greatest. We must develop a line in the party with peace and also connections with labor and youth. left must initiate new drives against speed-ups and start seeking six hour days and increase the stress to free Angela. We are not willing to unite with any small left wing group. But will unite with any large group with a broad base and issue. need for a committe to investigate and demand that the United States effect an Industrial Base in Southeast Asia at the expense of the United States. The party develope a Peace Commission of (U) Black, Brown, Labor, and all segments of the community. The next thing, we must do is demand that she be permitted to travel freely to speak in her own behalf. That a campaign on a long range basis be set up with a committee to organize professionals to visit the court as committee. That party club commence immediately to organize committee to go into the community for Angele's Defense. The April 16th affair should be a big build up. We must maintain freeb6 (dom of all political prisoners and Angela.) b7C stated not one piece of literature was passed out about Angela's case at the concert.

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Dear Valley Friends of the Farm Workers:

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We are writing this letter to introduce ourselves, (the new UFW staff in the Valley) to inform you of our plans, and to thank <u>you</u> for the continual support you have given over the years to the farm workers. The effectiveness of your actions have been felt not only here in the Valley but in the hearts of the farm workers themselves.

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L.A. has recently been divided into four separate areas, ea	ch with its
own co-ordinator and UFW volunteer staff, with the hope of furth	
recruitments. The local Valley staff includes:	
who has been working full time with the union for	over a
year now, organizing with the farm workers in Santa Maria and San	
after spending some time at the headquarters in La Paz. Original	
Missouri, she became interested in the farm workers through work	ing three
summers with migrant farm workers in Colorado and then doing par	t-time b6
boycott work with UFW in St. Louis, Mo.	b70
and first worked with the farm workers	during the
Delaho grape strike in 1965 while attending the Pacific School of	f Religion
in Berkeley. They spent three years as missionaries in the Phil	ippinés
before returning to the United States and the National Farm Work	er Ministry
last February. They have two children. and	
Coming from Spain, has joined the UFW staft	f full-time
She worked with UFW in L.A. before coming to the Valley. Having	
news of UFWOC in Spain, she became interested in helping.	taught
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workers in Colorado and was involved in community organizing in	Pueblo,
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From Antioch College comes whose home state is	Colifornia
She is on a 6-month work-study program and has worked with UFW in	
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the newest member of the group, is from New York	k. He has bac
just graduated from High School and is planning to go on to the	seminary.
, a Vincentian seminarian and once a farm wor	rker him-
self, is from here in California. worked in the fields pick:	ing oranges
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Nationwide, we are engaged in one of the biggest battles the union has faced: that of a primary boycott of all iceberg head lettuce. As you know, less than 15% of the lettuce industry is under contract; no one chain sells only UFW lettuce, labels have been confused for the public; and it's extremely difficult to "look for UFW lettuce" at this time.

Therefore it is our task here to raise the consciousness of every person in the Valley to the importance of not eating or buying head lettuce until farm workers win their respect and rights through the signing of contracts with the growers.

We will do this, with the help of the community by:

- 1) Asking individuals to sign pledge cards (see one enclosed).
- 2) Speaking with community organizations, unions, churches, politicians, schools, and other groups and asking them to publicly endorse our boycott.
- 3) Going door-to-door talking with people about the farm workers movement.
- 4) Phoning friends and supporters to remidn them of the lettuce boycott.
- 5) Setting up house meetings for small group discussions, leading to active involvement.

We are depending upon your help in forming this organizing base here be in the Valley. We will be having open meetings every Wednesday evening atb7C our house at in Northridge, at 8 pm. If you can join us in any of the above ways please feel free to drop by our house or call anytime



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Farm workers' struggle for simple justice and human rights has moved through many phases since 1965, when the history-making grape strike and boycott began.

When the then National Farmworkers Association was victorious under the leadership of Cesar Chavez, union members and their supporters turned to lettuce and wine grape growers to press for union elections and contracts. Many obstacles have been encountered along the way as growers associations and state officials collaborate in trying to find ways to outlaw or otherwise crush the United Farm Workers Union.

The latest attempt involves an initiative purported to "regulate" agricultural labor activities, which has qualified for the November ballot Petitions to place the measure on the ballot were represented as petitions to "help the farm workers" and were signed by thousands of well meaning persons.

In reality, the measure would set up a system for holding union representation elections among farm workers which would be drawn up and administered by appointees of Gov. Reagan, who has proved himself an enemy of farm workers. It would prohibit strikes, picketing and boycotts (the only effective weapons available) under most conditions and render the union and farm workers virtually powerless. Arizona recently passed an almost identical law, which has sparked a move to recall Gov. Jack Williams, who signed the bill into law.

You will be hearing more about the initiative during the summer so you can be informed and tell your friends and acquaintances before they go to the polls in November.

Democrats who publicly support Cesar Chavez' United Farm Workers efforts include Sen. George McGovern, who visited Chavez when he fasted in Arizona, and the California delegation, which by unanimous vote, pledged to insist that only union lettuce be served at the convention in Miami. Chavez and the union have endorsed McGovern's candidacy.

Dolores Huerta, vice chairmar of the United Farm Workers Union, is co-chairperson of the California delegation.

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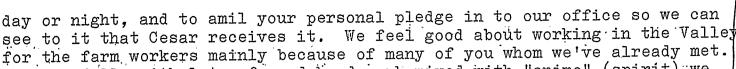
We have devoted much of the space in this newsletter to two letters, which we believe will explain in the writers' own words the present conditions and needs better than anything we could write. Ruth Shy is coordinator of the San Fernando Valley Area Boycott staff.

What has been left unsaid is that the new boycoit staff has several urgent needs: A refrigerator, lamps, a large table to be used for dining and working, folding chairs, a garbage can, towels, bed linens and many miscellaneous household articles. These are young, committed, energetic boycotters who deserve all the help we can give.

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Hopefully with lots of good hard work mixed with "animo" (spirit) we can boost the effectiveness of the nationwide boycott.

With the hope of meeting each of you and working together, we close.

## VIVA LA CAUSA! Ruth Shy and the UFW Staff

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(Please sign and return to the United Farm Workers, 8915 Canby, Northridge 91324)

United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO P.O. Box 62 Keene, Ca. 93531 (805)822-5571

May 28; 1972

Mrs. Kathleen Sexton, Chrm. Valley Friends of the Farmworkers Canoga Park, Ca.

Dear Mrs. Sexton,

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I want to thank the Valley Friends for your valuable help during the farm workers' recent struggle with the Republican Party and the NLRB. Union members and supporters sent over one million letters to Sen. Robert Dole, Chairman of the Republican National Committee. In many other ways the Republican party felt the need to respond from people both within and without their party, confirming again our faith that people working together in a nonviolent way can accomplish much.

The NLRB has agreed with us that the UFW has never been covered by the National Labor Relations Act. Also, the NLRB is dropping all complaints against our union. This means that we are free to continue our boycott whenever grower resistance makes it the only course possible.

I am sure you realize that this victory only keeps us where we have been and does not insure that our union will grow strong. Our only strength is in our own work and sacrifice, and in the understanding and support of millions of Americans. This means that much of our strength rests with you.

Already we are in another difficult struggle. Talks with the lettuce growers have broken off. They want to fight. We have no choice but to ask our good friends around the nation to make a small sacrifice and pledge not to eat or buy lettuce. The most effective way you can help the farm worker movement at this time is to give up lettuce until the lettuce growers fully recognize their workers' right to their own union.

Just as we have begun this latest struggle, the state of Arizona has moved to destroy our union. The A izona Legislature and the Governor, Jack Williams, have responded to pressure from the American Farm Bureau Federation and the lettuce growers and have enacted a law which makes it impossible for farm workers to organize and exercise free collective



bargaining in the state of Arizona.

On Thursday, May 11, I began a fast here in Phoenix which I hope will remove some of the fear that the growers must have of the farm workers' union. Accept our thinks for your continued support of the farm workers' cause.

Viva la causa!

Cesar

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The INTERFAITH COMMITTEE TO AID FARM WORKERS, formed in 1970, is being reactivated and is planning a new round of visits to top management of all grocery chains in Southern California. If you can help or if you can arrange house meetings or other opportunities for the boycotters to talk to people, please call Pat Hoffman or Chris Hartmire, 386-8130; the Valley boycotters, 885-0937, or your editor, 341-3337.

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Resolutions of sympathy and support for farm workers and the lettuce boycott were adoped in June at the General USA Board of the National Council of Churches meeting in New York, at the 10th annual meeting of the Southern California and Southwest Conference of the United Church of Christ in Claremont, and by the Southern California-Arizona annual conference of the United Methodist Church meeting in Redlands.

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U) Laya Brostoff (Mailes), noted for her beautiful tapestries and weavings, gave three of her tapestries to the Valley Friends of the Farm Workers to be sold as a farm workers benefit when she and her husband, Gene Mailes were packing to move from Chatsworth to Aptos. Now word comes that Laya's works were recently exhibited at the Wenger Gallery in San Francisco.

Cruz Reynoso, director of the California Rural Legal Assistance, has resigned and will be teaching law at the University of New Mexico next Fall. Marty Glick, CRLA staff member for the past five years, is his successor.

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### Grassroutes to protest this weekend

## Village Safeway picket set

By Ken Ward DB Staff Writer

The Safeway market in Westwood Village is scheduled to be the scene of a picket line this weekend as members from Grassfull's the store.

Grassroytes, a newly formed student group here which engages in various political activities, is working in conjunction with the United Farm Workers (UFW) in a fight against Safeway for its sale of non-union lettuce.

According to Greg Stokell, a member, of Grassroutes, picket lines will be set up from 4-7 pm today and all day tomorrow and Sunday. All students interested in carrying placards and encouraging people not to shop at the store are invited to come to the store, Stokell said.

Reasons

Among the reasons for the picket line, Stokell noted that Safeway stores consistently sell non-union lettuce and distribute La Mesa wine, which is produced by non-union workers.

UFW members in Southern California are presently picketing eight stores in the Los Angeles.

area, according to Andy Core of UFW.

Cole noted that Safeway has contracts with nonunion lettuce firms" and indicated that since
Safeway is the largest chain market by volume, "if
we can get them to change, the smaller markets will,

He cautioned that although some markets say they carry union lettuce, some of the lettuce is picked by members of the Teamsters Union. Cole indicated that the teamsters sign "sweetheart" contracts with the growers and "do not consult the workers before the contracts are completed."

Teamsters

The Teamsters, according to Cole, do not make provisions against pesticides or allow for compensation or job relocation in the event a worker is laid off when machinery is brought onto the fields.

The only way to insure what lettuce is picked by UFW is by the "black eagle" on the boxes, Cole said.

Cole also accused Safeway of "consumer fraud." He stated that sale items have often been labelled different prices than advertised and that meat has been mislabelled "almost always in the store's favor."

According to a clerk at the Westwood Village Safeway, the store does have UFW lettuce on occasions and said the store chain does not carry all UFW lettuce because "these people cannot meet our needs in terms of volume."

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He condemned UFW, saying, "Caesar Chavez is endeavoring to buy only UFW lettuce so as to cut out the Teamsters. We just buy the best product," he

Any students interested in working on the picket line can call Jan Wick at 838-6367.

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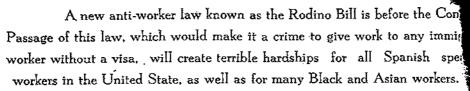
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# BIG RAL

MAY DAY! THE INTERNATIONAL WORK STOP THE ANTI-WORKER RODINO BL



The Rodino Bill, just like California's short-lived Dixon Arnett bill, make many employers reluctant to hire anyone who speaks Spanish or 'looks lin Mexican or foreigner', because an employer cannot know for sure whether the person is an immigrant without a visa or a citizen born is the United State.

Last week, the United Farmworkers Union announced that it is no longer backing the Rodino Bill. It now opposes the bill because of its racist and discriminatory provisions directed at Mexican and Latin workers.

This announcement by the Farmworkers Union has helped to make possible a united campaign and action against the anti-worker Rodino Bill...

THE LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE AGAINST THE

RODINO BILL IS ISSUING:

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## A CALL

To all workers and workers' organizations to celebrate May Day, the international holiday of workers' unity, with a march and rally, on Saturday, April 28th, along Broadway in downtown Los Angeles, to alert all working people to the dangers of this law and to step up the fight against it.

## SATURDAY APRIL 28 10:30 a.m. Broadway & Olimpic

EVERYBODY OUT TO CELEBRATE MAY DAY!

LONG LIVE MAY DAY!

LONG LIVE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' UNITY!
THE LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE AGAINST THE RODINO BILL

739 So. MARIPOSA AVE. PHONE: 389-9592 APT. 306 L. A. CALIF., 90005

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O – DIA INTERNACIONAL del TRABAJO

ÁOS la anti-obrera ley rodino !!!

<sup>U</sup>na nueva ley anti-obrera la tan mentada Ley Rodino, está proyectada en el Congreso Federal. Si se pasa esta ley que prohibe dar empleo a cualquier trabajaor sin visa, causara mucha pena para todos los trabajadores de habla hispana en los EE.UU., tanto como para muchos negros y asiáticos.

La Ley Rodino, igual como la ley de poca duración en California, la DIXON - ARNETT hará que muchos patrones se absténgan de ocupar a alguien de habla hispana o que "Paresca Méxicano Latino o Extranjero" porque el patrón no puede saber con seguridad si esa persona es un inmigrante residente con visa, o si es un inmigrante sin visa, ó un ciudadano nacido en los EE. UU.

La semana pasada la Unión de Trabajadores Campesinos, anuncio que ya no apoya la Ley Rodino., Ahora se opone a esa ley a causa de su racismo y discriminación en contra del Trabajador Méxicano y Latinoamericano.

Este anuncio de parte de la Unión de Trabajadores Campesinos ha contribuido a que sea ahora posible formar una campaña y manifestación unida en contra de la anti-obrera LEY RODINO.

EL COMITE LOS ANGELES CONTRA la LEY RODINO

A todo trabajador y organización obrera o comunal a celebrar el PRIMERO DE MAYO, el Día Internacional de la Unidad Obrera, con una gran manifestación ir ahi, el sábado 28 de abril, saliendo de Olimpic y Broadway, a lo largo de la Broadway hasta la calle 1a, en elCentro de Los Angeles, para advertir además a todos los Trabajadores de los peligros que la ley Rodino lleva y de intensificar la lucha en contra de ella...



## SABADO 28 DE ABR Olympic y Broadway 10:30 A.M.

Todos a celebrar el DIA del TRABAJO III VIVA el PRIMERO DE MAYO III VIVA la UNIDAD de los TRABAJADORES

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CESAR CHAVEZ SII-C

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Riverside, California (who desires her b70
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mation in the past) telephonically advised the writer as
follows:
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reported to other members of the today their respective
fears of outbreaks of severe violence in that area due to the
activities of CESAR CHAVEZ and members of or sympathizers to
his United Farm Workers Organizing Committee (UFWOC); with
regard to attempts to break existing contracts between the
Indio-Coachella Valley growers and the Teamsters Union.
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specifics on which to base their suspicions at this time, so
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Source said that these two individuals do not impress her as being the type that would make statements regarding possible violence, unless they had something on which to base their conclusions. In view of their apparent legitimate fear that such violence would break out, she felt that this office should be advised, and therefore she made this call.

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# All sides in grape strike relying on outside help; Coachella setting tense

By DICK LYNEIS

Press-Enterprise Staff Writer

COACHELLA — All sides involved in the Coachella Valley grape strike seem to be entrenching for a rugged drawn-out dispute.

The most obvious indication that feelings are deep and emotional is the supporters being moved into the valley by the rival Teamsters and United Farm Workers union and by the growers.

THE SUPPORTERS are in the form of Teamster "organizers," grower "security personnel" and imported UFW "sympathizers" from various

parts of the state, particularly the San Joaquin Valley.

Teamsters have imported from Fresno a group of about 30 men called Ray Allen Security, according to a source in the grower-Teamster alliance. The group is known better in the San Joaquin Valley by two other names—the "Allen Rifles" and, due to the fact that they are used extensively for protection by San Joaquin Valley farmers of Japanese ancestry, they're also called the "Nisei Guard." The men of the "Allen Rifles" or "Nisei Guard" are themselves white.

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MAY \_ 1973 -- EBI — LOS ANGELE "They flew in Monday night."

They were present yesterday morning at H&M Ranch, south of Valerie Jean on Highway 86, when a group of about 150 UFW members and sympathizers arrived.

NOT ONLY have the growers hired their own security personnel, but they requested and got more supporters from the Teamsters Union, according to a source with the grower-Teamster alligance.

Throughout Tuesday night and early yesterday morning, the Teamsters were bringing in men termed "organizers."

The Teamster organizers included men hired off picket lines in the Los Angeles area where moving van employes are on strike, tough-looking young men on motorcycles, and a variety of very physical-looking young men.

THE GROUP of Teamster organizers was seen packing the Trukadero Coffee Shop on Highway 111 between Indio and Coachella, between 4 and 5 a.m. yesterday. They left the truck stop restaurant en masse shortly after 5 a.m. and were at the H&M Ranch when the UFW pickets showed up.

The Farm Workers' ranks have been swelled by union members and sympathizers from the San Joaquin Valley and by college students.

In addition, many of the farm workers on vineyards operating under Teamster contracts are strongly hostile to the UFW, particularly the Filipinos who preceded the Mexican-Americans into the Coachella Valley as vineyard workers.

Although firearms have not been apparent, the sheriff's office was concerned. "We've had discussions with people representing the various organizations along the lines" of weapons control, said Lt. John Jones of the Sheriff's Department. "Weapons can be carried under certain conditions." But he added that laws concerning concealment and loading of firearms would be enforced.

DEPUTIES WORE riot gear yesterday morning for the first time since the strike began Monday "for their own safety."

The scene had the Teamster organizers and the "Allen Rifles" (about 80

in all) blocking an entrance to a labor camp adjacent to H&M's vineyard, and a line of club-carrying Ellipino farm workers at the edge of the field, one man for each row of vines.

On the other side, near Highway 86, were the UFW demonstrators, waving their red flags with a black eagle banner, shouting "huelga" (strike) and trading insults and retorts with the opposite side: Many of the UFW flags were fastened on sticks that looked more like small fence posts.

THE SHERIFF'S deputies numbered about 30. They stood on the ground between the groups, half of them; facing each direction. The deputies all had their nightsticks in hand.

Since they had a court order to enforce, the deputies began arresting the UFW members for contempt of court, a violation of a temporary restraining order which limits the pickets to groups of not more than three, and distances of not closer than 100 feet apart.

The county supervisors have contingency plans to handle any violence that may erupt, according to Chairman Norton Younglove, but he said they are under the aegis of Sheriff Ben-Clark, and only Clark can elaborate upon them.

During a period in 1970, when some of the supervisors said they sawethe potential threat of violence in the Goachella Valley vineyards, the board majority voted to ask the governor to send the California National Guard in if violence erupted.

Neither the violence nor the Guard arrived at that time.

Younglove said today, "We are a little concerned about the whole situation, to understate things. But it's very unlikely the board would take any action without the concurrence of the sheriff, who's the key agency in this:"

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U.S. SENATOR TED KENNEDY U.S. SENATE BUILDING WASHINGTON, D.C.

DEAR SENATOR KENNEDY:



I AM WRITING YOU TO ASK YOU NOT TO INTRODUCE YOUR VERSION OF THE HOUSE RODINO BILL ON IMMIGRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS WHICH HAVE NOW BEEN VERY CLEARLY BROUGHT OUT BY THE UNITED FARMWORKERS UNION IN THEIR OPPOSITION TO IT:

- 1. IT IS TOO GENERAL A PREROGATIVE THAT IS PLACED IN THE HANDS OF EMPLOYERS THAT IN EFFECT TURNS THEM INTO IMMIGRATION OFFICERS. FAIR EMPLOYERS WILL FIND THIS ROLE BURDENSOME AND UNSCRUPULOUS ONES WILL USE IT TO FURTHER VIOLATE THE VARIOUS SECTIONS OF OUR WAGES, SAFETY, HEALTH AND OTHER INDUSTRIAL AND WORKMEN'S PROTECTIVE AND SECURITY LEGISLATION.
- 2. IT SHOULD BE SPECIFIC IN ITS VIOLATIONS PROHIBITIONS RATHER THAN SO GENERAL AND VAGUE.
- 3. IT NO LONGER PROHIBITS OR PENALIZES THOSE WHO RECRUIT, TRANSPORT HIRE OR CONTRACT WORKERS TO BREAK LEGITIMATE AND NLRB APPROVED STRIKES.
- 4. THE PENALTIES ARE TOTALLY USELESS, AMBIGOUSLY BASED AND WILL EASILY BE EVADED AND AVOIDED. BY UNSCRUPULOUS EMPLOYERS AND THEIR AGENTS.
- 5. IT WILL FOCUS INDISCRIMINATELY AND SPECIALLY UPON ALL SPANISH SPEAKING, APPEARING AND LAST-NAME CITIZENS AND PERMANENT RESIDENT WORKERS IN THEIR EFFORTS TO OBTAIN, MAINTAIN AND ADVANCE IN THEIR EMPLOYMENT. IT IS DIFFICULT ENOUGH TO ENFORCE E.E.O.C. AT THIS POINT WITHOUT ADDING FURTHER GROUNDS FOR NOT HIRING, RETAINING OR PROMOTING THOSE IN OUR ETHNIC COMMUNITY.
- 6. THE SPECIFIC AND TOTALLY SIMILAR EXPERIENCES WHICH WE HAVE HAD IN CALIFORNIA WITH THE DIXON ARNETT LAW BROUGHT OUT ALL OF THE ABOVE PLUS THE PRACTICE OF UNSCRUPULOUS OR CAREFUL EMPLOYERS REQUIRING SPANISH SPEAKING WORKERS TO SET UP AN INDIVIDUAL FUND FOR THE AMOUNT OF THE FINE THAT THE EMPLOYER MIGHT HAVE TO PAY IF IT WERE EVER PROVED THAT THE WORKER'S BIRTH CENTIFICATE, VISA OR WORK PERMIT WERE FRAUDULENT.

SENADOR EDWARD 'TED' KENNEDY

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LA UNIÓN DE CAMPESINOS, UFWOC, AFL-CIO HA CONDENADO Y SE OPONE VIGOROSAMENTE A ESTA LEY RODINO POR RAZONES FUNDADAS. EN LAS EXPERIENCIAS REALES Y RUDAS DE LA VIDA DE LOS TRABAJADORES EN LOS CAMPOS Y EN LAS CIUDADES DE ESTE PAÍS. ASÍ TAMBIEN FUERON LAS EXPERIENCIAS EN CALIFORNIA BAJO LA LEY DIXON ARNETT QUE TANTO DAÑO TRAJO PARA LOS OBREROS DE HABLA ESPAÑOLA QUE EN SU MAYORÍA ERAN TOTALMENTE INOCENTES Y FUERON AUN MAS DURAMENTE VICTIMIZADOS POR LOS PATRONES, CONTRATISTAS Y DEMAS COYOTES Y CHANTAJISTAS DESPUES QUE FUE APROBADA LA DIXON ARNETT.

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CUANDO VENGAN ESTAS A SUS COMITÉ:



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## Grape pickets arrested near Oasis

COACHELLA — The second month of picketing in the Coachella Valley grape labor dispute began this morning with the arrest of two United Farm Workers union pickets.

Alfonso Modes, 46, of Coachella,. Keene, were charged with contempt of and Jose Guadalupe Murguia, 42, of court for allegedly violating court-ordered picketing restrictions. The arrests were made at Avnue 70 and Fillmore Street near Oasis, sheriff's depu-

ties said.

The court order, which covers the property of most grape growers, requires pickets to keep at least 60 feet

from fields.

Today's arrests were the first in more than a week, though there were massive arrests in the early days of this year's strike.

The sheriff's office in Indio said the number of pickets was about the same as it has been in recent days — between 150 and 200.

The UFW is striking growers who signed labor contracts with the Western Conference of Teamsters.

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# UFW and the rights of migrant workers

A rally to support the United Farmworkers (UFW) current strike efforts is scheduled for tomorrow at noon in downtown Los Angeles.

At 10 am, protestors will assemble in Pershing Square and at 11 am, they will march to the Old Plaza, on Olvera and Main Streets, for a noon rally that will feature such speakers as Trinidad Flores of the Mexican-American Labor Council, Senator Mervyn Dymally (D. — Los Angeles), and representatives from the UFW, the Teamsters Union, the clergy and other Chicano groups.

On strike

The UFW has been on strike for three months, asking for improvements if wages, working conditions, benefits; demanding that the growers stop spraying the fields while workers are picking; and that workers be provided with life and sickness insurance and unemployment compensation.

The UFW is also staging a boycott of Safeway supermarkets, which it hopes will force Safeway to use its influence among growers and sign contracts with

the UFW.

Recently, significant numbers

of UFW pickets have been arrested for violating courtordered picketting regulations.
Mark Sonneider of the Farmworker Support Coalition said that the most important of the demonstration will be the emphasis placed on the Safeway boycott.

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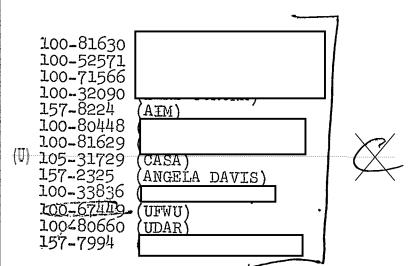
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tre nuestros obreros agricolas. Hemos visto la caida violenta de un gobierno constitucional, elegido por la clase obrera chilena y con programa que fomentaba la organización en Chile de los trabajadores agricolas. Al igual que en California, los terratenientes reprimen las organizaciones del pueblo trabajador. Guiados por las aspiraciones y necesidades de los trabajadores agricolas en los EE.UU. sentimos la urgencia de demandar:

(1) Que el Congreso de los EE.UU. apoye las resoluciones del senador Edward Kennedy y el representante Donald Frazier demandando de la Junta respeto a la Declaración de los Derechos Humanos; exigiendo seguridad para los presos políticos, especialmente los obreros agrícolas y demás obreros sindicados y garantizar el derecho a la protección

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(2) Que el gobierno de los EE.

UU. se abstenga de establecer relaciones diplomaticas con los representantes de la Junta militar
y retire toda ayuda militar y económica.

(3) Esta resolución fue enmendada antes de su aprobación incluyendo un minuto de silenció en honor al fenecido presidente Dr. Salvador Allende, caido durante el derrocamiento violento de su gobierno por manos de los militares.

The tragic events in Chile have not escapted the attention of the farm workers. We note the violent overthrow of a constitutional government, whose base was the working people of Chile and whose program encouraged Chilean farm workers to organize. We know that the large land holders in Chile, like those in California, favor the repression of working people's

At this point, with the aspirations and needs of U.S. a farm workers in mind, we feel that a two-fold call is in order:

organizations.

(1) That Congress support the resolutions (by Senator Edward Kennedy and Representative Donald Frazier) urging the military junta to honor the Declaration of Human Rights, respecting the safety of political prisoners especially farm workers and trade union members, and guaranteeing their right to legal protection and to sanc-

(2) That the U.S. government withhold diplomatic recognition from the repressive military junta, and that it suspend military and economic aid to this junta.

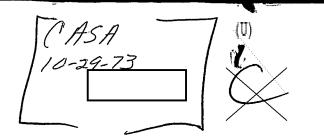
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# Gallo ads and Daily Bruin policy

By Charles Collins

On Tuesday, the Students to Support the Farmworkers began circulating a petition urging the Daily Bruin to refuse to carry advertisements for goods or stores presently being boycotted by the United Farmworkers Union, including but not limited to; Gallo wines, table grapes, non-U.F.W. head lettuce and Safeway Stores. On Wednesday, November 7, the Daily Bruin reported that Gallo ads, previously seen in the Daily Bruin, were no longer running.

Mr. Harry Morris, ASUCLA Business Manager, stated that in the November 6 Bruin article, with the cessation of the Gallo advertisements there was no longer a problem. The Students to Support the Farmworkers, by their petition, which in the first week had over 900 signatures, hold the position that until a policy that the Daily Bruin will not accept advertisements by boycotted companies is implemented the problem is in existence.

The boycott is a legal economic tool being used by the United Farmworkers in an attempt to bring companies to the negotiating table. The boycott must be judged by the legitimacy and human need for the demands of the workers of the United Farmworkers are the rightfoliage a union which actually represents the workers decent housing wages a family can live on modern heath standards and an education for workers children. When the Daily Bruin accepts advertisements for boycotted goods it is making the judgment that these demands are not just. The Students to Support the Farmworkers and the many people who have signed the petition are asking the Daily Bruin to take an active stand for the Farmworkers by using its economic options to aid the boycott.

In the I.A. area Gallo sells approximately one fourth of its total product. The UCLA campus area is a major consumer district. The Daily Bruin through a policy of rejecting ads from those being boycotted can play a vital part in the success of the L.A. boycott.

The Students to Support the Farmworkers will continue in their petition drive while at the same time, with support on the Communications Board and on the Daily Bruin staff, utilize the petition as a symbol of campus support for the Farmworkers, in an attempt to get a policy decision from the appropriate administrative bodies. Hopefully the policy of the Daily Bruin will come to reflect the will of its readers, the students, as reflected in the patition as support for the boxcott

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#### By DIRK WERKMAN

Cesar Chavez, leader of the United Farm Workers, came to the Colonia Saturday night and yowed to fill Ventura County jails with strikers in an effort to win the labor dispute that has been waged during the past week in Oxnard area strawberry fields.

"We'll do it nonviolently, but we'll fill the jails to demonstrate to him (Sheriff William E. Hill) that we're not going to be kicked around," Chaved told hundreds of cheering

supporters at a rally at Colonia

Park.
Following the rally, a procession estimated at from 800 to 2,000 persons marched 15 blocks through the Colonia to Our Lady of Guadalupe Church where Chavez participated in a Mass.

The rally, march and Mass climaxed a day in which eight persons were arrested for violating an injuntion concerning picketing at the strawberry

One of those joining in the march was Ventura County

Supervisor John K. Flynn, of Oxnard, who said he will move Tuesday to permit Chavez or a representative to come before the board to explain the reasons for the strike.

Following the church service, Chavez and his top UFW lieutenants were scheduled to meet somewhere in the Gxnard area to discuss strategy for mass picketing today.

#### 2,000 Pickets Seen

Roberto Garcia, director of the UFW field office in Salinas and coordinator of the union's strike effort in the Oxnard area, said he expected as many as 2,000 persons to be available this morning for picketing duty.

Garcia said he would attempt to convince Chavez to adopt a revolving door type of mass arrest strategy for pressing demands against the growers. Under Garcia's plans, there would be mass arrests of picketers. As soon as they were released from jail, they would be back picketing again and subject to arrest, Garcia fold newsmen.

Chavez was highly critical of actions of Sheriff HM's deputies and termed the court order limiting the picketing "illegal, unconstitutional."

Vowing to bring thousands of picketers to the Oxnard area, Chavez said, "We're going to demonstrate," we're going to picket because it's our God-given right."

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Bill Higgins, an assistant to the Oxnard city manager, said black and white police units were being kept out of the area unless they were on regular patrol. However, police reinforcements were ready if needed.

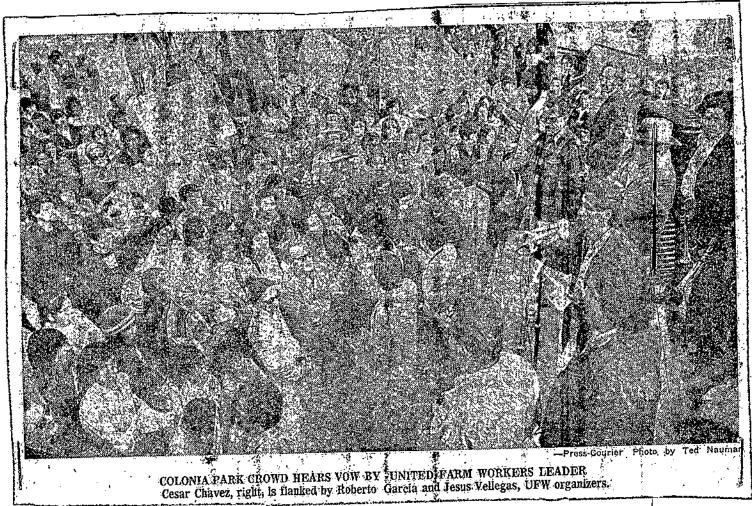
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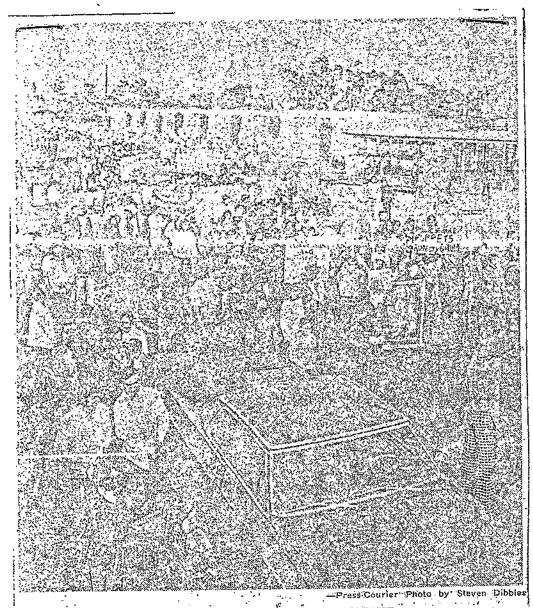
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An Oxnard police official estimated that between 800 and 1,000 persons were in the procession and Flynn said he thought there might be 2,000 persons participating.

Flynn said Chavez called him Saturday afternoon and asked for permission to lay the case of the farm workers before the board.

Several candidates in Tuesday's election also attended a portion of the Saturday night event. State Senate candidates Paul Kinney and Omer Rains and Sheriff candidate Howard Hobson were present.





March supporting pickets ended at Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.

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:SA GILBERT G. BENJAMIN

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATION AGAINST PRESIDENT

NIXON, AT CENTURY PLAZA HOTEL, ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

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From approximately 2:30 PM to 5:15 PM. Thursday, July 25, 1974, the writer and SA observed an anti-NIXON demonstration along the Avenue of the Stars, in front of the Century Plaza Hotel, Century City, Los Angeles, California. Representative of numerous different organizations participated in the demonstration; however, indications prior to the demonstration were that the overall coordination was being handled by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU).

Early arrivals at the demonstration scene were largely young adults of college age, many of whom appeared to be affiliated with the Revolutionary Student Brigade (RSB), as they were marching under a large cloth banner, carried by two young adults. Their banner bore the inscription "REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE," in large capital letters. In smaller letters on the same banner were the words, "THROW THE BUM OUT - ORGANIZE TO FIGHT." These latter six words were utilized in the form of a vocal chant by these individuals at various intervals during the afternoon.

At 3:00 PM there were 67 marchers in the picket line. At 3:02 PM there were 73 marchers. Ten minutes later, at 3:12 PM the number of marchers in the picket line had swelled to 132. At 3:40 PM the picket line was split into three individual groups, with 134 in the central group, 40 in the southern group, and 36 in the northern group. That was the last actual "head count" made by the writer. Later in the afternoon a 4th split

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occured, and a 4th group of pickets was established on the east side of the Avenue of the Stars, under the marquee of the Shubert Theatre. At the height of the demonstration it was estimated that there were approximately 550-600 demonstrators present.

Groups observed participating in the demonstration included the following:

Peace Action Council (PAC) Coalition for Economic Survival (CES) (see note below) Spartacists Young Socialist Alliance (YSA) Socialist Workers Party (SWP) Southern California District Communist Party (SCDCP) Workers Action Movement (WAM) Revolutionary Student Brigade (RSB) United Farm Workers (UFW) United Farm Workers Organizing Committee (UFWOC)

There were many different picket signs, most of which were hand-lettered rather than machine printed. Among those observed were the following:

"HEIL NIXON" "JAIL TO THE CHIEF" "IMPOUND NIXON" (The X in NIXON was swastika shaped) "THROW THE BUM OUT" "DUM NIXON - ORGANIZE TO FIGHT" "PHASE OUT NIXON" "DUMPTHE CHUMP" "DUMP NIXON - NOT MILK" "DUMP NIXON - JUNK FORD - THROW THE BUMS OUT" "REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE - THROW THE BUM OUT - ORGANIZE TO FIGHT" "WE WANT FOOD - WE WANT GAS - WE DON'T NEED THE RULING CLASS" "NOW EVERYTHING IS BECOMING PERFECTLY CLEAR" "TAKE THE RICH OFF WELFARE" "NIXON OUT ON HIS ASS - FOR HIS CRISES AND HIS CLASS" "STOP UNION BUSTING SAY UNION WOMEN" " . P. P" IMPEACH"

"PROTECT DEMOCRACY - IMPEACH"

"BIG BUSINESS + NIXON MEANS HIGH PRICES"

"I LOVE AMERICA - IMPEACH" (This was a red picket sign with an American flag mounted on top)

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"PITCH IN - DUMP NIXON"
"SUPPORT FARMWORKERS - BOYCOTT GRAPES & GALLO WINES"
"UNITED FARMWORKERS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE"
"SPARTACIST"
"NO MORE NIXON LIES - IMPEACH"
"SAY GOODBYE DICK"
"IMPEACHMENT WITH HONOR"
"ROLL BACK OIL PRICES"
"NO AMNESTY FOR NIXON"
"WE'VE GOT A BEEF ABOUT MEAT PRICES"
"NIXONOMICS MEAN PET FOOD FOR PEOPLE"
"THE PEOPLE THEMSELVES MUST LEAD THE FIGHT AGAINST NIXON
      AND HIS CLASS - ANTI-IMPERIALIST CONTINGENT"
      (This was a large cloth banner)
"RELEASE SAIGON'S POLITICAL PRISONERS" (This to was a cloth
      banner).
"DOWN WITH NIXON - FORM A WORKERS GOVERNMENT"
"NUCK FIXON"
"STOP AID TO THE MILITARY JUNTA IN CHILE" (PEACE ACTION COUNCIL)
"STOP CRIME - OUST NIXON"
"NO MORE YEARS"
"CAPITALISM BREEDS CORRUPTION"
"NO MORE SUPPORT TO MILITARY DICTATORSHIPS"
"SUPPORT FREE ELECTIONS IN GREECE"
"CENTURY HOTEL COUT THE SILVERWARE"
"WAM - 30 HOURS WORK - 40 HOURS PAY"
"IMPEACHMENT IS AN EXECUTIVE PRIVILEGE"
The following three picket signs had different legends on
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the front and back, as noted:

"SKID ROW COMMUNITY SPEAKS OUT" (front) "HOW CAN I LIFT MYSELF UP BY MY BOOTSTRAPS WHEN I AIN'T EVEN GOT NO BOOTS" (back)

"CUT BACK THE PENTAGON" (front) "NOT THE POOR" (back)

"B-1 VITAMINS" (front) "NOT B-1 BOMBERS" (back)

The representatives of the Coalition for Economic Survival (CES) were distributing numerous copies of a pink leaflet, announcing a "March for Economic Survival," to be held Saturday, September 28, 1974. It notes that further information may be obtained by calling 938-6241.

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During the afternoon the demonstrators uttered a number of different chants, including the following:

"Throw the bum out - organize to fight"

"1-2-3-4 Throw NIXON out the door; 5-6-7-8 We don't want your fascist state."

"Four more weeks."

"Suicide with honor."

"Kick th bosses in the ass - Power to the working class."

"Nixon - you liar - We'll set your ass on fire."

"Phase One - Phase Two - Phase out NIXON"

"Hail to the thief - Jail to the chief."

"Dump Nixon not milk"

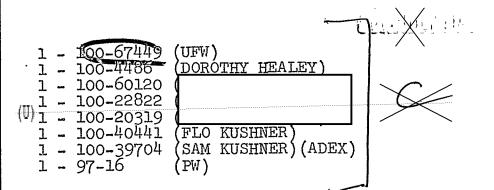
"Huelga" (chanted by the UFW and UFWOC contingent).
There was a long dark haired male Caucasian with a trumpet
who played various bars of "Hail to the Chief" during the afternoon; particularly when the marchers were chanting, "Hail to the
thief - Jail to the chief."

For a brief period during the afternoon picketing, four individuals wearing Santa Claus costumes, complete with potbellies and long white beards, joined the picket line and walked a few turns around the line of march. It was not determined by these observers, what group, if any, they represented.

Although officers of the LAPD had to remove demonstrators from the area in the center island of Avenue of the Stars, near the fountain and pool between the Shubert Theater and the Century Plaza Hotel, there were no arrests noted. More or less of a holiday attitude prevailed among the demonstrators. There were no speakers or guerrilla theater skits, as have been noted in previous demonstrations in the vicinity of the Century Plaza Hotel.

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A film and speaker on the United Farm Workers struggle will highlight a meeting of the UFW's Whittier area chapter Wednesday at St. Matthias Church here.

The program, featuring the film "Why We Boycatt" and a speaker, James Dake, a minister working with the farm worker's movement is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the church, 7056 S. Washington Ave., Whittier.

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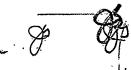
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## CLERICS JOIN UFWA PROTEST ON GRAPES

BY JERRY BELCHER

A dozen clergymen and moved in bellind them, nuns tried but failed to get bought, two pounds of arrested Friday during a grapes and walked away grape boycott demonstra- without a word. tion in downtown hos An- Shoully before 6 p.m. the bers and supporters of the United Farm Workers of America.

The demonstration be a gan with mass picketing a the Grand Central Market on Broadway, where marchers chanted "Huel-ga" (strike), carried signs neading "Cesar's Greetings".
Boycott Grapes & Gallo".
and urged shoppers not to buy grapes and head lettuce.

About 5 p.m. the Rev. avne Hartmire led live other clergymen and six nuns into the crowded inarket where they linked arms, and began handing out UFWA literature.

Market manager How ard Posson warned them that they were blocking foot traffic and trespass-ing and that he would have them arrested if they did not leave. A spokesman for the

UFWA defended the group's right to hand out léafléts and

Posson, after a confer-ence with the police labor detail, decided against making a citizen's arrest. "That would look great with all these television

cameras around;" he said; As the clergymen and nuns stood in the aisle, an lelderly Chinese man

geles by some 600 mem, main body of the picketers marched into the store, were joined by the religious group, and then went back outside to begin candelight procession? on the sidewalk outside through the downtown, area.

The demonstration ended in Pershing Square with a prayer and fastbreaking ceremony. Some 200 of the demonstrators who had been fasting since Wednesday were given chunks of bread.

A number of demonstra-tors were obviously disappointed that no one was arrested during the confrontation inside the market. One late-arriving young woman asked, Did they have their arrests?"
When she was told there were no arrests, she said, "Darn!" . Y

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tioned aliens Come late This coul Contribute to The Afmerican Sociel should They be undocumented She mentioned That The have more rights to work in comban to hap build it up. She mentioned That The Union should not take part in pushing 7 This count but That They should be fre Harry Ring - who is The out b70 was overheard saying The Socialist Party is for The immigrants coming into in country as free people with rights whereas The moment They country at the government's advantage because They work for and they know that They do not they will just be deported back out of This country Also he was heard giving examples where employers let an immigrant world for a period of time and just before the fine The pay-check is due - The en **b**6

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Room 102 The Middle East Crisis, Claire Gorfinkol Room 105 The B-1 Bomber Campaign, Chip Matthews

Room 109 The Continuing War in Southeast Asia, Ann Cohon

Room 204 Gay Awaronoss, Morris Kight Room 207 The Causes of Violence, Dr. Isidere Zifferstein

Room 208 Unconditional Amnesty, Ed Miller

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Lunch, Tables, MASS on Lawn Area #1 led by Fr. Frank Coburn **12:**30-·**J**:30

Announcements (David Lumian), ED GUINAN, Auditorium \*\*"Pathing the Hat": . 1:30- 2:30 2:30- 3:30 SECOND SET OF WORKSHOPS

Room 102 The Women's Movement & Nonviolence, Mary Crane

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Lawn #3 Altornative Economics, David Bunje "FIFTY YEARS OF NONVIOLENCE IN AHERICA", LA/WRL Slido Show, Auditorium. 3:30-4:30

4:30-5:30 THIRD SET OF WORKSHOPS \*\*This Third Set of Workshops will consist of those workshops that you,

> the participants, choose to have repeated. This will give everyone a chance to attend that workshop they we're unable to earlier in the day. "Tally Sheets" will be passed out during the SECOND SET OF WORKSHOPS,

at which time you are to check the ONE workshop you would like repeated. Remember, please do not check off a workshop that you have already at-

tended, and only check off CNE workshop. The Workshops that will be repeated, and their locations, will be c

posted outside the Auditorium at the conclusion of the LA/WRL Slide Show. WRAP UP (Joff Diotrich), Entortainment by Reader's Theatre, Auditorium 5:30- 6:30

\*\*6:30\*\* FREE SPAGHETTI DEWER served by The Catholic Worker House, Cafeteria 8:00-10:00 Informal Discussion/Panel with Guest Speakers, resource people and all participants who want to attend. This evening session will be held in

tho Auditorium: \*\*The Guest Speakers are Ed Guinan, Jim & Shelly Douglass. 

The thirt Broke I will CHILDCARE will be provided on the Lawn next to the steps of the Administration Building. If you can help with Childcare, please let us know at the Registration Table. \* There will also be a room inside the Adminstration Building for Child Care.

(\*)Designates the Lawn Area for the holding of some of the workshops. Lawn Area #1 is directly behind the Tables/Exhibits. Lawn Areas #2, 3, 4 are located on the big Lawn area as you're coming up toward the Adminstration Building. Signs, designating the workshops, will be posted on chairs near the Lawn Workshop areas.

\*\* A major emphasis of this DAI OF NONVIOLENCE, IS to pothe out that thore meny LA/Southorn California based organizations dealing with and working on many of the topics covered in ay's workshops. We have printe up their names and addresses if you would like to have future contact with them. PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS Transportation of the Program Catholic Worker House 605 North Cummings Stroot

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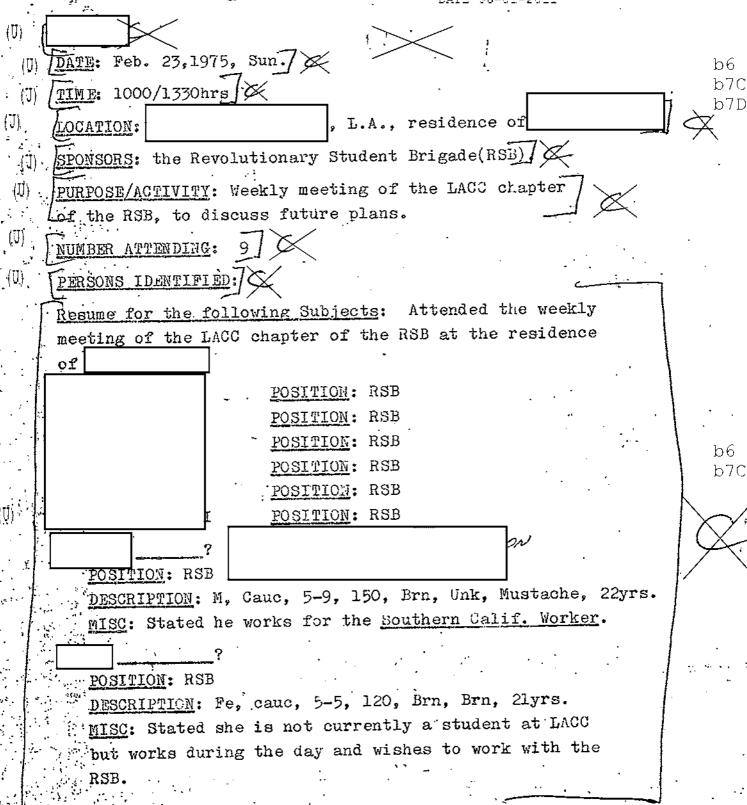
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1. Feb. 28,1975, 1600hrs, at 2650 Commerce Way,
Demonstration at Gallo Warehouse, sponsored
by the United Farm Workers and the L.A. Strike
Support Committee.

2. Feb. 28,1975, 2000hrs, at Fundraising Party to Celebrate International Women's Day, Donation \$1.00. Unk sponsors.

3: March 9,1975, 1400hrs, at the Long March, RSB city wide study group on the Middle East, sponsored

by the RSB.
4. March 8,1975, 1930/2200hrs, at 5220 Santa Ana the

Cudahy Civic Center Community Center, Cudahy, Calif,

Party to celebrate International Women's Day. Unk Sponsor. 5. March 27,1975, 0900hrs, at 210 W. Temple, L.A.

Courthouse, the trial of Woodrow Nichols, pickett

L.A. committee for Justice for Tony Wilkins and the

AGENDA/NARRATIVE: The meeting began approx 1030hrs with a sum-up of the Regional Conference which was held at

OCLA on Feb. 15th & 16th. It is the general thought of the Los Angeles RSB that the RC was a success. There was a short discussion on study groups which the RSB should start having. It was decided that study on the

Middle East should be started as soon a possible. One

will be held on March 9th at 1400hrs at the Long March,

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figure in the Middle East, will speak at UCLA. Unk time
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state that the RSB should study the middle East situation
very carefully so it will have a clear cut line at the
demonstration. She said the brigade will have to:
make it clear that the RSB is not anti-jew, but instead
show the evilness of Zionism. Dues were collected at
the end of the meeting, a total of \$5.70. The meeting
ended at 1430hrs.
ENCLOSURES:
1. Leaflet anouncing a demostration of Gallo Warehouse
at 2650 Commerce Way on Feb. 28,1975, 1600hrs:
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2. Leaflet anouncing a fundraising party for International
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3. Leaflet anouncing the Celebration of International
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2. For. 10,1975, 0030, 210 W. Temple (courthouse)
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.3. Fol. 15th & 16th, 1975 0900hrs at UCLA, Haines Hall, RED Begional Conference.

"Revolution Till Victory". The film shows the historical events which has lead up to the Middle Mast Crisis as viewed by the Palestine Leberation Organization (PLO).

After the film explained with the use of a World Atlas why the Middle East is such a key

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of imperialism. An Interesting point bought up by was that recently it is thought that the

Chinese have found a large deposit of oil in the Republic of China. This has not been publicised for various reasons, one being that if the Chinese were able to sell their oil the economy of the Arab states would be hurt because the price of oil would go down with the abundence in China. So as Warf stated the Chinese are

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## By DARRELL SANTSCHI Press-Enterprise Staff Writer LAKEVIEW - Three Tabor Office Sted at each ranch

IAKEVIEW Three labor organizers for the United Farm Workers of America were cited for trespassing at the McAnally Enterprises egg ranch here Monday morning in the second such incident since legal maneyers began over their right to approach workers at the ranch.

Pfaced under citizens' arrest' by McAnally employes were Dan Sudran, who was arrested a week before at the ranch of the same charge, Mancy E. Jarvis of San

Francisco and Karen Mary Demon of Long Beach. The three UTWA organizers said they were attempting to hand out leaflets to workers at the egg ranch

Sheriff's deputies were called to the ranch at 6:45 am., removed the UFWA organizers, cited them and then released the three.

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A hearing in Riverside Superior Court on McAnally's request for a preliminary injunction keeping out the UFWA organizers was scheduled to resume foday. A temporary injunction had been issued Oct. 1, but was dissolved because the UFWA was

not given an opportunity to re-

Since the temporary injunction was resolved, McAnally officers have ordered guards at the egg ranch to arrest UFWA organlizers who allegedly trespass.

Capt. William Park of the Sheriff's Department has said his officers will not enforce the state labor board's ruling, but would take anyone into custody who is charged with trespassing in a citizen's arrest.

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ranches under the so-called access rule is being tested in Northern California courts.

In the meantime, there is some question whether the UFWA organizers who were arrested here will be prosecuted.

Perris Justice Court Judge Charles B. Wilkerson said Monday that he had been informed that the district attorney's office would not prosecute McAnally trespassing charges pending the outcome of the legal battle over the access rule.

Don Inskeep, the chief trial deputy for the DA's office, said he could not comment on depairment policy relating to the trespass charges, but said last week's two arrests will not be prosecuted.

He said he was "not aware" of Monday's three arrests and would not speculate on his department's plans for prosecution.

Sudran said that UFWA.organizers would hold a meeting shortly to design strategy with respect to McAnally's Lakeview fancir (Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.)

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